

THREE MORE BRITISH SHIPS LOST

GOV. D. I. WALSH GUEST AT TEACHERS' BANQUET

Brilliant Event by Teachers' Organization—His Excellency Extols Teaching Profession

The annual banquet of the Lowell Teachers' organization, held last evening in the state normal school hall, was in every sense of the word a notable event. With distinguished guests, including the Governor, the occasion was one long to be remembered with pleasure. The picture in the great banquet hall with its lines of tables set with evening dresses of delicate and varied colors as the chief executive of Massachusetts sent out a message of cheer, congratulation and lofty idealism was one that has been rarely equalled in a banquet hall in this city. Once again the teachers of Lowell deserve congratulations and gratitude of the community for a celebration that was as enjoyable as it was distinctive.

The scene in the assembly hall was very beautiful. Shortly after 6.30 the ushers took charge of the invited guests who included distinguished educators, public men and their ladies, and press representatives. The long head table was decorated with bouquets of yellow marigolds, and all the tables looked radiant with happy faces and gay gowns of the teachers about 225 of whom were present. A sumptuous banquet was served by the D. L. Page company, and as on previous occasions, the program of the evening was not left to the close but was given at intervals throughout the evening.

The program:

Besides the formal and informal speeches, the program of events had many unique and thoroughly enjoyable features. The Organization Glee club made a tremendous hit with a "Swing Song," "Nursery Rhymes" and a stirring "Patriotic Medley," arranged by C. F. Fursey. A topical song describing the organization was written for the occasion by Miss Alice O. Stickney, and sung by all as were also a "Song of Greeting to the Governor" composed by Miss Margaret McCusker and "My City—Tis of Thee" words by Miss Belle F. Batchelder. Speeches were made by Mr. Hugh J. Mallory, Superintendent of schools, Dr. John H. Lambart, Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, and Mr. Carl Burt of the high school who was called upon at short notice and gave a very amusing characteristic address, full of humor and originality. The main address of the evening was made by Governor Walsh, and at the close an informal reception was given him. Music throughout the evening was played by the orchestra which also played for dancing during the social hour in the gymnasium.

Miss Kennedy

Once again Miss Elizabeth C. Kennedy, president of the organization, proved the ideal presiding officer. Her brief addresses were always in excellent taste, reflecting tact, resourcefulness and a high literary quality. Keeping herself in the background as far as possible, she, nevertheless, made her personality felt throughout the entire event, and to her tireless energy and faculty of detailed planning were due in great part the success of the occasion.

Miss Kennedy opened the formal program with a few appropriate words of greeting, in the name of the organization. In the course of which she expressed regret that, for the first time at a banquet in the Normal school Mr. Cyrus A. Durgin was unable to be present, being detained by illness. Miss Kennedy directed one of the teachers to send a message of sympathy and good cheer in the name of the organization.

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PERSONALS

Misses Rose Burke and Edna Savory of Amesbury were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. James Senior of 214 Lakewood avenue.

Miss Myrtle Dunfee has written words for the song "Our Boys," the music of which was composed by Mrs. Joseph Roush. The song is dedicated to the C. M. A. C. Those who have heard it speak very highly of it.

Hon. Charles E. Burbank, a former senator of Boston, will lecture before the members of the Lowell Grange at the regular meeting which will be held Friday evening, his subject to be on "Good Citizenship."

The many friends of Mrs. Mary F. Gibbons, nee Dolan, who recently underwent an operation at St. John's hospital, will be pleased to know she is improving at her home on Marshall street.

James H. Walker of the Butler Veteran Firemen's association of this city has been appointed on a committee to arrange for the annual league muster to be held at Marblehead, the appointment having been given at the quarterly meeting of the New England States Veteran Firemen's association.

Mr. John J. Dalton has been invited by Manchester lodge of Elks to sing at their ladies' night, next Monday evening, and he will accept. Mr. Dalton and the late Edward F. Shea made a big hit at an entertainment at Lake Massabesic some years ago and since that time they have appeared frequently in the New Hampshire city, held at Providence, R. I. yesterday.

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TRAWLERS SUNK BY GERMAN SUBMARINE

Austro German Victory in Galicia Broke Down Russian Front for 24 Miles—Turkish Aeroplanes Brought Down by Allied Warships

A German submarine has sunk three more British ships, all trawlers. The crews were brought in safety to Hull, but it is feared other vessels were lost as the Germans are said to have opened fire on fishing ships with rifles and artillery.

Russian Front Broken Down

The correspondent of a Berlin newspaper telegraphs that the Austro-German victory in western Galicia broke down the Russian front for a distance of 24 miles and that the Russians abandoned not only their first line, but the villages in their rear. The Russian war office admits the Germans and Austrians succeeded in crossing the Dniester, but states that they were prevented from making a further advance.

Desperate Fighting

Desperate fighting is in progress farther east on the Carpathian front. In the region of Strij it is said one hill changed hands three times in a single battle and that 1200 more Austrians were captured by the Russians.

Turkish Aeroplanes Brought Down

Official reports from Saloniki say that two Turkish aeroplanes which attacked the allied fleet at the Dardanelles were brought down by the fire of the warships. The aeroplanes, manned by Germans, attacked the fleet with bombs but it is said did no damage.

Turks Rush to Adrianople

Negotiations between Turkey and Bulgaria apparently have become more uncertain. Turkey is sending troops hastily to the neighborhood of Adrianople after having withdrawn them for use on the Gallipoli peninsula.

Austria's Answer to Italy

Austria's answer to Italy's recent demands is expected tomorrow, and it is believed in Rome its character will determine the course of Italy. Notwithstanding the king's decision to remain away from the patriotic ceremony in connection with the Garibaldi memorial today, it is now believed in Rome that there has been no essential modification of the situation.

INHABITANTS OF GALLIOLI CROSSING IN LARGE NUMBERS TO ASIATIC SHORE

PARIS, May 5.—A Havas despatch from Athens filed yesterday states that the inhabitants of Gallipoli and other parts of the peninsula are crossing in large numbers to the Asiatic shore.

Two hundred Turkish prisoners taken by the allies were removed to Teneos Monday.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Austro Germans pursue defeated Russians after taking 30,000 prisoners, according to Vienna.

Petrograd admits enemy has forced the passage of the Dniester river in Galicia.

British abandon Zounebek and other villages east of Ypres, untenable because of recent German victory to the north.

French report successes at Steenstraete in Belgium and Bagatelle in Argonne.

Berlin tells of failure of French attack in the Argonne.

Russians give out statement of a victory over Turks in the Caucasus. Allies resume the offensive on the Dardanelles, advancing into interior of Gallipoli peninsula.

Lloyd George hints, England has practically reached limit in size of army she feels like raising.

War now costing Britain \$10,000,000 a day; government may drop liquor tax and call for great loan.

JAPANESE WARSHIPS 150 MILES FROM PEKING

Opinion in Peking That Japan May Take Action Without Waiting Upon Issuance of Ultimatum—Gravest Peril in China's Modern History

PEKING, China, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser and four torpedo boat destroyers have arrived at Chiao-Tung, about 150 miles east of Peking, evidently for the purpose of removing from China the members of the Japanese legation.

Consular reports from all parts of the country announce the departure of Japanese or of their concentration at the Japanese consulates.

There is a substantial opinion in Peking that Japan may take action in regard to the non-acceptance of her demands by China without waiting upon the issuance of an ultimatum.

BELIEVE WAR NEAR

TOKIO, May 4.—All Japan has focused its attention on the Chinese situation which is believed to be full of historic possibilities. It is hoped that the foreign office has sent telegrams to all consuls in China, instructing them to prepare their nationals for possible departure. Japanese at Mukden have been asked to hold themselves in readiness to withdraw to places near the south Manchurian railroad.

Lieut. Gen. Count Terauchi, governor general of Korea, has held a conference with the general staff of the army. The decisions of the cabinet and elder statesmen are expected tomorrow. The press say 15 hours will be the limit of the proposed ultimatum. Newspapers characterize as insulting the insistence of China that Japan's offer to restore Kiaochow be reduced to writing.

QUIET AT PEKING

PEKING, May 5.—The Chinese capital is remarkably quiet in the face of what the Peking Gazette calls "the gravest peril in China's modern history." Most of the people of the city are going about their business as usual apparently with no knowledge of the problem which confronts their country. The government has taken every measure to prevent anti-Japanese demonstrations.

Only the educated upper classes are informed of the progress of the negotiations with Japan. Among them the feeling is intense but there have been no demonstrations, although reports have been received from southern cities that several men and one woman have committed suicide because "they did not wish to live to see China subjected."

After the news was received yesterday of Japan's proposed ultimatum a cabinet council was held at the winter palace, the residence of President Yuan Shi Kai. The ministers were divided in opinion. The president, with whom the final decision rests, asked questions but did not express his own views.

PREPARE TO LEAVE HANKOW

HANKOW, China, May 5.—The Japanese consul general received instructions from Tokio today directing him to order Japanese women and children to be prepared to leave Hankow for Japan by tomorrow's steamer.

DEATH PENALTY STAYS

GOV. RYE VETOED BILL TO ABOLISH IT—ALSO VETOED ANTI-TIPPING BILL

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 5.—Gov. Rye today vetoed a bill abolishing the death penalty, expressing the belief that it would tend to increase mob violence. The governor also vetoed an anti-tipping bill.

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CLAIMS MRS. BAILEY WAS KILLED IN THE DAYTIME

New Feature by State in Trial of Mrs. Carman—Celia Coleman Testifies Today

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 5.—Celia Coleman, the negro maid who was the principal witness against Mrs. Florence Carman in her first trial for the murder last June of Mrs. Louise D. Bailey, was ready to testify in Mrs. Carman's second trial today.

The defense awaited the production of the new witness by whom the prosecution hoped to prove that Mrs. Bailey was killed in daylight instead of after dark as has been contended in the first trial. This was the only new feature promised by the state.

Evening sessions of the court may be ordered so that the trial may be ended by Saturday. The district attorney did not expect to conclude the evidence for the prosecution today.

FUNERALS

MCCARTHY—The funeral of Patrick J. McCarthy took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from his home, 595 Hyde Park avenue, Roslindale. Mass. was celebrated at the Sacred Heart church, Roslindale. Rev. Fr. Cummings officiating. The body was forwarded to this city, burial taking place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Kerrigan of St. Patrick's church read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage had charge of funeral arrangements.

FISK—The funeral of Mrs. Emma E. Fisk was held from her home, 40 Gates street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Fr. W. W. Brett, pastor of the Worthen Street M. E. church. The bearers were William E. Bridger, Abraham Robinson, Mark M. Pease and Walter P. Thissell. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

SHUTE—The funeral services of Mrs. Ann S. Shute were held at the home of her son, Oliver Shute, 22 Eaton street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Ernest A. Trilles, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church. The bearers were Oliver, Edward, Abraham Robinson, Mark M. Pease and Walter P. Thissell. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Young & Blake.

DONOHUE—The funeral of Patrick J. Donohue was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his brother, Charles F. Donohue, 23 Butler avenue. At St. Peter's church services were conducted by Rev. Patrick L. Crayton. The bearers were all Spanish War Veterans, under the charge of Sgt. Wm. J. Prescott, as follows: Privates Thomas Conniff, James Clancy, Owen Dignan, Patrick J. McCarthy and Frederick L. Ham. At the grave a firing squad under the direction of Sgt. Clancy, consisting of Corp. Bligh and Privates Kenny, Chapman, Slattery, Clarke, Bowden, Fraser and Emond, fired a volley over the last resting place of their late comrade, while music from William Cronin sounded taps. Among the floral offerings was a pillow inscribed "Goodbye, Uncle." Charles and Joseph Donohue, and tributes from Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gibson. Burial was in the family lot in the Eastern cemetery where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Trilles. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

DEATHS

MEHAN—Albert F. Mehan died, yesterday at his home, 116 Agawam street, aged 73 years. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Mary Mehan, and two sisters, Anna L. and Alice F. Mehan. He was employed in the office of the Forbes Lithograph Co., of Boston, and was a member of the Friendship Club, Court City of Lowell, and a member of C. I. and the Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart church.

LOWNEY—Mrs. Susan F. (Donnelly) Lowney, wife of P. E. Lowney, died last night at the home of her mother, Mrs. John J. Donnelly, 36 Floyd street. Deceased was born in this city, was educated in St. Patrick's schools. Besides her husband, she leaves her mother, Mrs. John J. Donnelly; one sister, Mrs. Alice McLaughlin of Newport, R. I., and two brothers, John P. and James F. Donnelly. Deceased was a lady of many estimable qualities and greatly devoted to her church, her family and her home. She was a devout member of St. Patrick's parish and was interested in the work of several societies.

FUNERAL NOTICES

JOYCE—The funeral of Miss Helen T. Joyce will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her mother, 32 Eleventh street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

STANTON—The funeral of Mrs. Alice Y. (Mullin) Stanton will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 31 Stanley street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

VAUGHAN—The funeral of Catherine J. Vaughan will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from her home, 83 Willie street. At 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of James F. O'Donnell & Sons.

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Carrie Gertrude Cummings will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings, 3 East Pine street. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

CLANCY—The funeral of Peter O. Clancy will take place Thursday afternoon at 1:30 from his late home, 5 Mill street. Services at 2:30 at St. Peter's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of the funeral arrangements.

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Carpenters' union, local 1510, will meet tonight in the union headquarters in the tunnels building.

Eddie Brennan of the National Biscuit Co. uses his Bullock condenser on his suburban trips nowadays.

Several employees of the Massachusetts mills have been laid off temporarily waiting for orders.

Russell Lowe, president of the Parkhill Mfg. Co. of Fishburg, has come to California and will visit the exposition.

The annual meeting of the New York State Knit Goods Manufacturers will be held at the Hotel Utica, Utica, N. Y., on May 12.

The Theatrical Employees will banquet at Faze's tonight and present indications point to a large attendance. A number of prominent officials will be the speakers.

It is said that the manager of the Spaulding shoe baseball team dislikes being called a big leagueer, but that during the play in Nashua a couple of times? It isn't out fault, but honest!

The Fairmount campers held their annual meeting at their camp at Willow Dale Sunday and the affair proved very enjoyable. John Kline of the W. J. Barry Shoe Co. was in charge of the arrangements.

The resignation of E. R. Chapman, superintendent of the F. L. River mills, Danville, Mass., marks the retirement of one of the oldest and most successful men connected with the textile industry.

Bill Heelon, the popular tenor-soprano artist at Terry Cox's show in East River street, has dug up a fund of new stories with which he delights to amuse his audience. They do say that the canary bird was in the act, but he won't admit it.

Luke McCann of the N. B. T. & T.

Co. has purchased a new ray type roadster through his brother who conducts a stage business in this city. Luke will undoubtedly use the car to good use on his out-of-town assignments this summer.

In the mills of Ireland, there are nearly 1,000,000 spindles at work, over \$35,000,000 invested in machinery, etc., and about \$25,000,000 constantly tied up in manufactured goods with \$16,000,000 paid annually to Irish mill workers.

The great Edison is making dyes and making them right so that there is little danger of the shortage that was predicted but a short while ago. His product costs a little more than the German product in normal times, but when conditions face the industry such as now confront it, a few cents a pound is immaterial.

The following transactions in textile shares were recorded at last week's Boston auctions: 1 Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. preferred at 103 1/2, 2 Prager Co. common at 22 1/2, 3 Great Falls Mills, Inc. common at 12 1/2, 4 Merrimack Mfg. Co. common at 22 1/2, 5 Pepperell Mfg. Co. common at 22 1/2, 6 Soule Mills at 66.

At a meeting of the Four of Clubs held last Sunday it was voted unanimously to tender a banquet to the lady friends of the members on May 20, the festivities to take place at the Hotel Utica.

John J. Flannery, the well-known tenor, employed at the Massachusetts mills, was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee, and he promises to arrange a program which will afford plenty of enjoyment for all who attend.

Other members elected last night were as follows: Paul Butler, Tyler A. Stevens, Fred C. Church, J. Harry Boardman, Frederic A. Fisher, George E. Mayley, Edward Lawley, Wm. A. Hogan, Henry T. Wheeler, Wm. H. Wilson, Joseph Peabody, John J. Burns, Thomas Lees, Dr. Charles E. Munro, J. Munro Andrews, Rega F. Tinker, Frank J. Collins, Asa W. Sisk, James Stuart Murphy, John M. J. Finney and Charles F. Downey and others.

NON-MALLARD DUCKS

The Lowell Fish and Game association succeeded in having considerably over a million of the 12,000,000 white perch fry to be distributed in the waters of the state, distributed in ponds about Lowell.

The story of local distribution has appeared in The Sun. Before the spring stocking of the brooks and ponds has been completed there will have been distributed several hundred thousand two-inch brook trout fingerlings, 200,000 rainbow trout fry, and thousands of young bass, and the local association will see to it that the brooks and ponds about Lowell will figure in the distributing.

One hundred pheasant chicks are being distributed now in open woods. Several hundred were put out during the winter in care of farmers. The number of mallard ducks being sent out is between 700 and 800.

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FISH AND GAME

Local Association Holds Meeting — Prominent Men Elected

Millions of small brook trout, rainbow trout, black bass and white perch are being liberated by the agents of the fish and game commission to match their wits against the larger fish and still larger fishermen in the ponds and streams of the state.

The activities of the Lowell Fish and Game association have brought a goodly number of the fish to Lowell, and the association will see to it that they are properly looked after. The local association met last night and a vote of thanks was passed in recognition of the interest taken in the association by Congressman John Joseph Rogers, Capt. Rogers of the U. S. fish and game, and United States Fish Commissioner Dr. H. M. Smith.

A communication was received from the state fish and game commission, in which the local organization was assured of an early supply of small trout, pheasants and mallard ducks. The stocking of snowshoe rabbits cannot be undertaken, however, until next September, as the rabbits cannot be shipped from Maine between April and October.

A committee was appointed to look into the matter of conserving white perch in Lake Massucup, where larger fish eat the spawn in shallow water. The committee will not use dynamite, but will attempt to devise a method to prevent the destruction of the spawn.

It was voted to have the executive committee cooperate with Luther W. Faulkner, chief of the local Boy Scouts, for the better protection of birds and game. This is in line with a campaign directed by the American Game Protective and Propagation association.

A large number of new members were elected at last night's meeting and the membership now totals 110.

The meeting was presided over by Simon H. Harris, president, and Samuel P. Hadley, former police court judge, in recognition of his interest in the work of the association and the sport, as a whole, was elected an honorary member.

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From Yesterday's Late Editions

CEMETERY COMMISSION NAMED BY THE MAYOR

City Council Holds Lively Meeting—Charlie Morse and Frank Mallorey in Fiery Tilt

At the regular meeting of the municipal council held this forenoon, the mayor read his appointments to the new cemetery commission as follows: John L. Robertson, 3 years; John A. Osgood, 2 years; Simon B. Harris, 2 years; William H. Rigby, 2 years; and George H. Taylor, 1 year.

The five men appointed by the mayor are lot owners in the Edison cemetery. John L. Robertson is president of the Robertson Furniture Co., John A. Osgood is a well known druggist and a former member of the board of health. Simon B. Harris is president of the Lowell Fish and Game association and is known far and wide as a fearless enforcer of the law. George H. Taylor is secretary of the C. I. Hood Co., and William H. Rigby is assistant superintendent of the Merrimack print works.

The proposals for cement for sewers and streets raised some ructions and were debated for two hours or more. The cement proposals included those of D. T. Sullivan and E. A. Wilson. The Wilson contract was thrown out and the Sullivan contract, calling for 3500 barrels, more or less, of Portland Lehigh cement, was adopted. The Wilson contract called for 300 barrels.

The real pettifoggery of the meeting came just prior to adjournment, when Commissioner Morse and Frank Mallorey had a verbal clash that gave promise of something more serious. The situation was assuming rather dangerous proportions when the mayor's call for order spread the charm of peace.

The Meeting
Mayor Murphy called to order at 11:20 with all members present. The first business had to do with garage and gasoline licenses which were referred to Commissioner Carmichael and the chief of the department. Petitions by the Lowell Electric Light Corporation for pole locations and conduits in connection with the white way, were slated for a hearing May 15.

The petition of Rev. Charles J. Galligan for the relocation of an electric light in Stevens street was ordered for a hearing May 15.

Claims for personal injuries were referred as were minor petitions having to do with lights, streets and sidewalks.

Relocation of Trucks
The order for the relocation of the tracks of the street railway company in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets, was read and adopted.

A report relative to a sewer in Union street was read and the order providing for it was adopted.

An order to change a portion of the lines in Rogers and Fairmount streets and widen said streets was adopted.

An order for the seizure of land at the corner of Rogers and Nesmith streets, to facilitate travel, the property of the William Spaulding heirs, was adopted.

An order for the abatement of a sidewalk assessment at 53 Starbird street, amounting to \$21.75, was adopted.

The petition of Margaret F. Carney for a sidewalk in Pine street took the usual course.

Commissioner Putnam was authorized to pay Charles J. Conant \$400, and Ira P. Hersey, \$200 in connection

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Clean Up Week

FUNERAL NOTICES

HARVEY—The funeral services for Mr. Harvey, who died at his home, 11 Cornish street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30, will be held at 10 o'clock Friday morning at St. Patrick's church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

HOWARD—The funeral of Clara Howard will take place Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

WILLIAMS—The funeral of Mrs. Williams will take place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

VAUGHAN—The funeral of Miss Vaughan will take place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

CLARK—The funeral of Mr. Clark will take place Thursday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Patrick's church. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS
We, the undersigned, wish to thank our friends and relatives for the many kind and helpful services rendered to our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Mary Ann Reardon, who died at her home, 11 Cornish street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lettke of 15 Apple street yesterday observed the 25th anniversary of their wedding. They were married at St. Patrick's church in 1890.

Purchasing Agent Foye
Purchasing Agent Foye had made a statement in defense of his own position as attached to the specifications for the relocation of the street railway tracks in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets.

Contracts
The council did not approve the contract executed by the purchasing agent and the H. E. Fletcher Co. of West Chelmsford for 10,000 feet, more or less, of granite edgestones, and 500 feet, more or less, of granite curb.

City Solicitor
City Solicitor Hennessy was called in and said that in his opinion, the contract for the relocation of the street railway tracks in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets, was valid.

Mayor's Statement
The mayor read a statement in which he said that he was not a party to the relocation of the street railway tracks in Gorham, Nesmith and Rogers streets.

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ROACH—The funeral of the late Mrs. M. Roach took place this morning at 10 o'clock from her home, 211 Melrose street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Michael's church where, at 12 o'clock, a funeral mass was sung for the soul of the deceased. The burial was in St. Michael's cemetery in charge of Rev. John J. Shaw.

McWilliams—James McWilliams, an old resident, passed away this morning at his late home, 7 Kennebec street. The deceased was a resident of Lowell for many years. He leaves two sons, John and Fred, and two daughters, Mrs. Elizabeth Hession and Mrs. Mary Hession. The burial was in St. Peter's cemetery in charge of Rev. John J. Shaw.

CORDARO—Maurice Cordaro, aged 1 year and 6 months, died this morning at the home of his parents, Manuel and Maria Cordaro, 47 Elm street.

NAULT—Mrs. Albert Nault, nee Sarah Delcor, aged 75 years, died today at her home, 29 Worcester street. She leaves her husband, two sons, Napoleon M. Lozeau and Joseph Lozeau, three daughters, Miss Arline Lozeau and Miss Joseph Lozeau, and a son, Mr. Edward Lambert in Canada.

DEATHS

COOPER—Thomas E. Cooper, a well known citizen, died at his late home, 12 Cornish street, Wednesday afternoon at 2:30.

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Clean Up Week

NEWS OF THE LEGISLATURE

Hotel Measure Recalled After Enactment—Bar Examination Bill Stands

BOSTON, Mass., May 2.—In the state senate yesterday, Senator Willis of Newton, under a suspension of the rules, offered a new bill as a substitute for the bill which the senate has enacted in regard to the registration of guests at hotels.

So much objection has been made to some provisions in the original bill that it was recalled after it had been sent to the governor.

The bill required that every occupant of a room should register his real name, and it was said that this provision would require everybody in a hotel party at a hotel to sign the register.

The new bill compels only the occupants of sleeping rooms to sign their names. It does away with the provision that the hotel proprietor must keep a record of the time when a room in his house is occupied and given up, and it takes away the right of the hotels away from the agents of the district attorney or attorney general—the original bill provided—and

don't. The opinion holds that there should be no question of the right of the general court to regulate motor vehicles or common carriers as classes, but that in the pending bill improper discriminations are made between motor vehicles and common carriers of the same class.

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places that power with the police or the board which grants licenses.

Consideration of the bill was postponed until Tuesday.

The house bill reducing the costs of civil actions in the courts was rejected without debate.

The bill to increase to \$4000 the salary of the secretary of the industrial

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so that the cost should be \$265,000 instead of \$250,000, but his motion did not prevail.

The ways and means committee reported "reference to the next general court" on the bill to increase the salaries of the members of the board of arbitration and conciliation to \$4500, and the salary of the clerk of the board

to \$2000; also a resolve to pay \$500 to the dependents of James McGovern, who was injured in an explosion at the North Metropolitan pumping station in East Boston on June 1, 1911.

House of Representatives

An unsuccessful attempt was made to kill the bill reducing the education

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Teachers' Religion Bill

A discussion of Mr. Lomasney's proposed amendment to the bill providing that applicants for positions as school teachers shall not be asked as to their religious belief was then begun and was interrupted by adjournment after Mr. Prime of Winchester had spoken in opposition.

— OTHER FEATURE ACTS —

ELKS

Mr. Lomasney's amendment strikes out the provision that teachers shall not be asked as to their religious beliefs, which provision, according to an opinion of the attorney general, makes the bill unconstitutional, and substitutes a provision that no applicant shall be discriminated against because of any religious or political belief.

Mr. Prince criticised Mr. Combs for his attitude in opposing the amendment of the constitution as an insult to a very large element in the community, and yet now, as the representative of that same element, asking for legislation which is equally an insult to every school committee in the state.

Gen. Atwill that the bill now pending in the house providing for the regulation of jitney licenses is unconstitutional.

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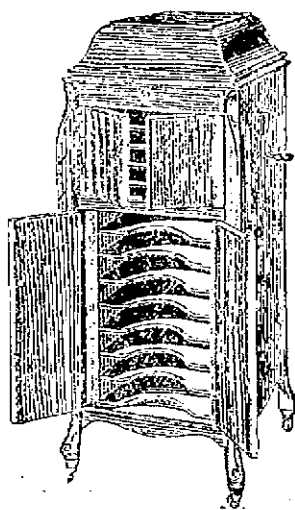
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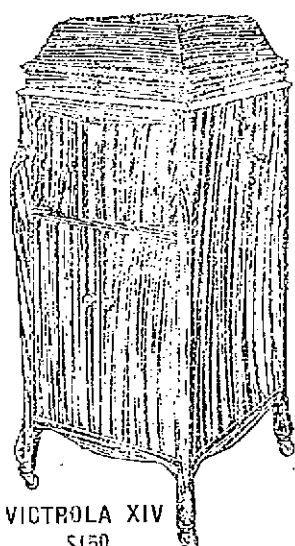
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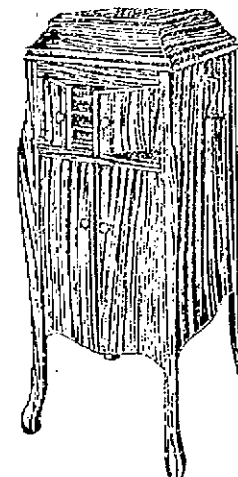
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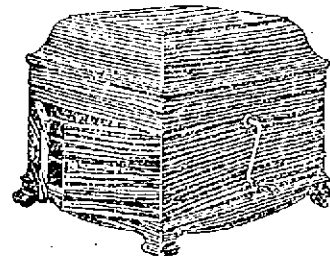


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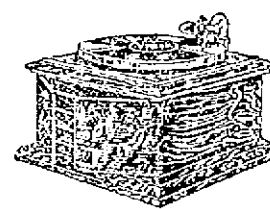
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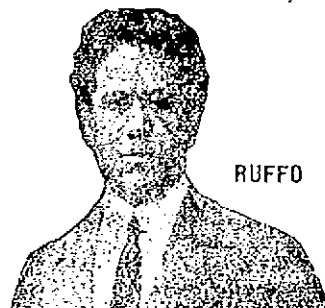


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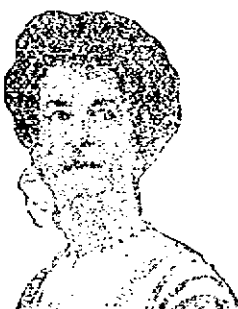
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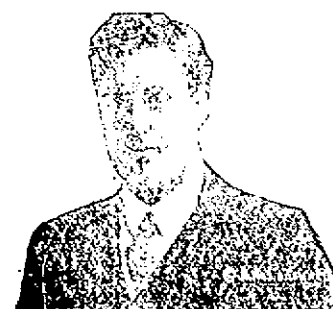
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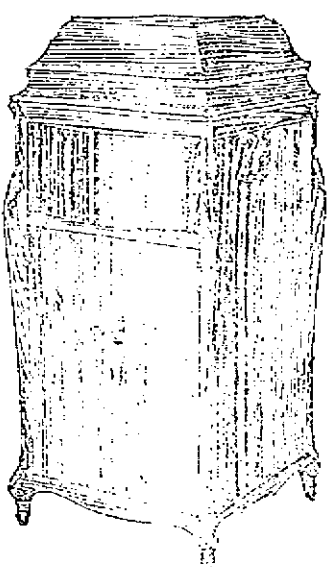
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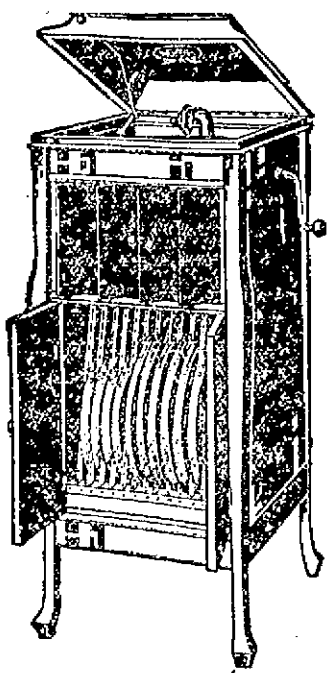
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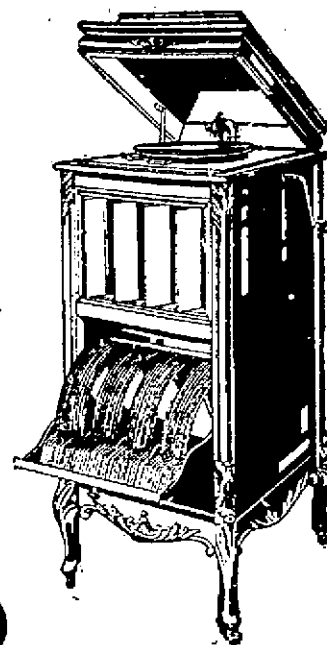


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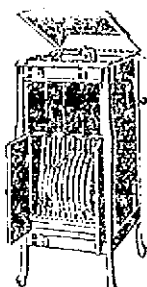
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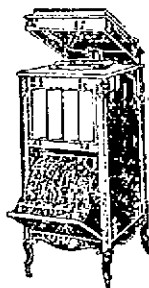


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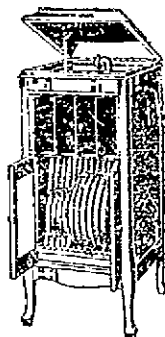
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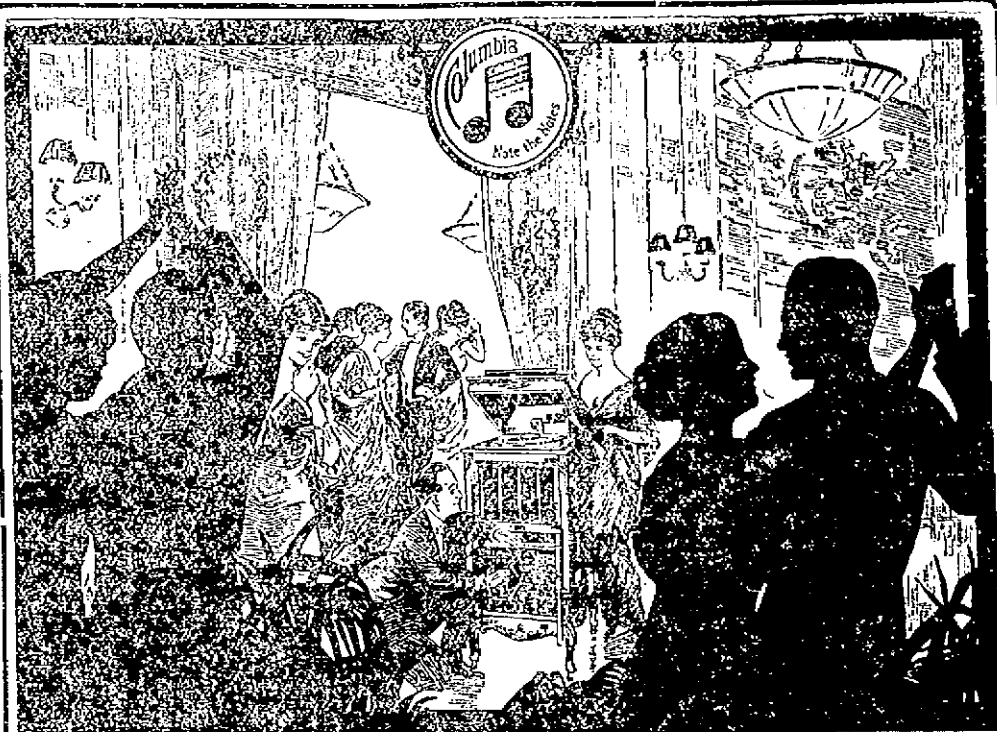


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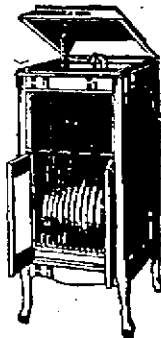
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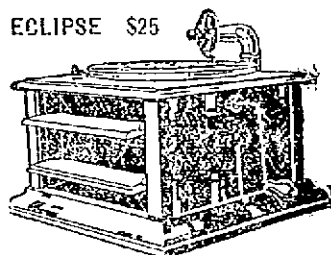
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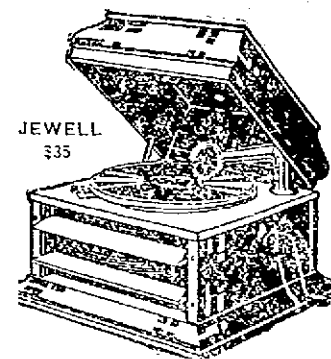
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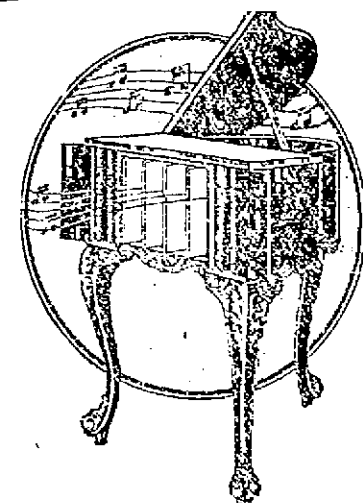
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RAIDER INTERNS

Kronprinz Wilhelm Was Towed to the Newport Navy Yard

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 4.—The German auxiliary cruiser, Kronprinz Wilhelm was towed to Newport navy yard today and intended to await the close of the war.

AN ULTIMATUM

Elder Statesmen Approve of Sending Note to China

TOKIO, May 4.—The Yomiuri in an extra edition declares that the elder statesmen after listening to lengthy explanations from Premier Okuma and Foreign Minister Kato have approved a project to send an ultimatum to China.

The information reaching Japan, this paper says, leads to the conviction that the nature of the last Chinese answer obliges Japan to resort to this logical diplomatic step.

Continuing, the Yomiuri says that the concessions made by Japan, particularly the restoration of Kiao-Chow to China, had created the belief that China was satisfied and that the matter would be arranged peacefully. There is an impression, it says, that Yuan Shi-Kai, president of China, desires an ultimatum in order to justify China's eventual acceptance.

According to the Hoochi Shimbun martial law will be proclaimed in South Manchuria simultaneously with the issuance of the ultimatum.

EVERY DAY ETIQUETTE

"How long before the wedding should the invitations be sent out and when should one send out wedding announcements?" asked Edward.

"Wedding invitations should be sent out two weeks before the wedding day. Announcement cards are sent out the day following the wedding," advised his mother.

"Is it etiquette to make a dinner call after having attended a dinner?" asked Marie.

"Those who have been invited to a dinner party, whether an acceptance or refusal was sent, should call on the hostess within a couple of weeks. Eight to ten days in the evening is considered the proper time. The lady and the escort send a card apiece for each lady in the house, while the man sends one of his own for each man in the family," answered her sister.

"Should menu cards be used at a dinner to about ten persons?" inquired Mrs. Newby.

"When dinner is to be served at a private home, menu cards should not be used," was mother's reply.

"When a man and woman enter and leave a train, which one should precede?" asked Jack.

"The woman should precede when boarding the train and should follow her escort when leaving the train," answered his father.

"Hearing of a death in a friend's family, what is the proper thing to do?" asked Mildred.

"Cards of condolence or sympathy are sent to friends in bereavement with the words: 'With deep sympathy' written across the top. Of course, one should, if possible, call and leave cards without asking to see anyone, but if this cannot be done cards are sent by post," her aunt advised.

"Is it wrong for me to use my given name if I so desire on my cards?" asked Mrs. Newby.

"To an acquaintance you sign your name Violet Smith. If you are writing a business letter you use this signature and add further down on the page at the left hand, Mrs. Francis Blake," answered her mother.

FOR U. S. CORNETIST

LOWELL MUSICIAN WINS PLACE UNDER UNCLE SAM THROUGH C. S. EXAMINATION

The many friends of Alex Godbout, son of Mr. and Mrs. Majorie Godbout of 29 Hanover street, will be pleased to learn he has secured a position as cornetist with the United States brass band at the Old Soldiers' home at Togus, Me.

Mr. Godbout is a noted musician having studied with E. N. Laflamme of Boston for the past three years. He is a popular member of "Tabor's" Sixth regiment band, M. V. M., and has had considerable experience with other brass bands and orchestras of this city. At the present time he is employed as a shoe salesman for the 20th Cen-

tury Shoe Co. in Merrimack street and will sever his connection with this company this evening, to start on his new duties next Monday.

The young man recently took an examination as cornetist and successfully passed. He received his appointment a few days ago and as soon as he reaches Togus, Me., he will enlist for a term of two or three years in the service of Uncle Sam. The position is a lucrative one with a chance for promotion. The conductor of the band is B. W. Thelme.

CITY HALL NOTES

The board of health met and granted four swill licenses and one stable license.

Commissioner Morse sent out all of the horse-drawn watering carts this morning to take the place of the car sprinklers. Mr. Morse allows that the street sprinkling contract broken by the Car Sprinkler company will never take effect in Lowell again.

TO VISIT PANAMA FAIR

THREE LOWELL BOYS WILL DRIVE A PUSH-CART ACROSS THE CONTINENT

Max Cohen, E. M. Cohen and Max Greenberg, three young men of this city, have decided to attend the great Panama exposition in San Francisco and they are going a very novel way about it. They have a push cart with bicycle tires which they will push to and through the whole continent. They went to Boston, Me. and obtained a letter of introduction from Gov. Walsh to the governor of California and today they got a letter from Mayor Murphy to the mayor of San Francisco. They expect to leave Lowell May 15.

DEATHS

CUMMINGS—Carrie Cummings, infant daughter of the late Mrs. George H. Cummings, died at the home of her parents, 3 East Pine street, aged 27 days. Heres her parents, who are survived by three brothers, Charles, George W. and Everett Cummings.

FUNERAL NOTICES

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Carrie Cummings will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, 3 East Pine street. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of the undertakers Simmons & Brown.

LETTER FROM FROST'S SISTER

A letter addressed to the nation of the Chebsterford Street hospital was received at that institution today. The letter is from Mrs. L. E. Pillsbury, 48 R. R. square, Lebanon, N. H. The writer makes inquiry concerning Eugene L. Frost, the young man who was taken to the hospital a few days ago for observation as to his sanity. Mrs. Pillsbury is his sister and who wants all the facts concerning her brother's detention and his condition.

STEAMER ARRIVES

NEW YORK, May 4.—Arrived steamer Carpathia, from Genoa.

Stock Market Closing Prices, May 4

FOR COMPLETE REPORT OF TODAY'S CLOSING PRICES SEE LATER EDITION

NEW YORK MARKET			
	High	Low	Close
Am. Beet Sugar	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	39 1/2	39 1/4	39 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2

WAR SPECIALTIES FELL			
	High	Low	Close
Am. Beet Sugar	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	39 1/2	39 1/4	39 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2

BOSTON MARKET			
	High	Low	Close
Am. Beet Sugar	75 1/2	75 1/4	75 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	41 1/2	41 1/4	41 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	39 1/2	39 1/4	39 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	35 1/2	35 1/4	35 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2

NEW YORK, May 4.—War specialties fell back again at the outset of today's trading. Prices of most specialties were down from one to two points. Am. Beet Sugar, 75 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 48 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 41 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 39 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 37 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 35 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 33 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 31 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 29 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 27 1/2.

Trading was relatively light in the morning hours and became more active in the afternoon. Am. Beet Sugar, 75 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 48 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 41 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 39 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 37 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 35 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 33 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 31 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 29 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 27 1/2.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Weakness in the market and falling prices was the feature of the opening of the stock exchange today. Am. Beet Sugar, 75 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 48 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 41 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 39 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 37 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 35 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 33 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 31 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 29 1/2; Am. Beet Sugar, 27 1/2.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Cotton futures opened steady, May 5.00; Oct. 10.15; Dec. 10.35; Jan. 10.55; Feb. 10.75; Mar. 10.95; Apr. 11.15; May 11.35; Jun. 11.55; Jul. 11.75; Aug. 11.95; Sep. 12.15; Oct. 12.35; Nov. 12.55; Dec. 12.75; Jan. 12.95; Feb. 13.15; Mar. 13.35; Apr. 13.55; May 13.75; Jun. 13.95; Jul. 14.15; Aug. 14.35; Sep. 14.55; Oct. 14.75; Nov. 14.95; Dec. 15.15; Jan. 15.35; Feb. 15.55; Mar. 15.75; Apr. 15.95; May 16.15; Jun. 16.35; Jul. 16.55; Aug. 16.75; Sep. 16.95; Oct. 17.15; Nov. 17.35; Dec. 17.55; Jan. 17.75; Feb. 17.95; Mar. 18.15; Apr. 18.35; May 18.55; Jun. 18.75; Jul. 18.95; Aug. 19.15; Sep. 19.35; Oct. 19.55; Nov. 19.75; Dec. 19.95; Jan. 20.15; Feb. 20.35; Mar. 20.55; Apr. 20.75; May 20.95; Jun. 21.15; Jul. 21.35; Aug. 21.55; Sep. 21.75; Oct. 21.95; Nov. 22.15; Dec. 22.35; Jan. 22.55; Feb. 22.75; Mar. 22.95; Apr. 23.15; May 23.35; Jun. 23.55; Jul. 23.75; Aug. 23.95; Sep. 24.15; Oct. 24.35; Nov. 24.55; Dec. 24.75; Jan. 24.95; Feb. 25.15; Mar. 25.35; Apr. 25.55; May 25.75; Jun. 25.95; 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PRICE ONE CENT

WOMAN WAS POISONED

SWALLOWED IODINE USED FOR TOOTHACHE—IS NOW AT HOSPITAL

Sagin, Waterhouse, aged 21 years, was found unconscious in her room in the Weston house at 63 Brookings street about 6:15 o'clock this morning, suffering from the effects of a dose of iodine which she took during the night. It was reported that this afternoon at St. John's hospital where she was taken in the ambulance, that she was resting as comfortably as could be expected and probably would recover. Miss Waterhouse, who is employed as a waitress in the Weston house, said last night complaining of a toothache. She took a small bottle of iodine to her room and it is believed that at some time during the night she attempted to relieve her pain by using the medicine. She swallowed a small amount of it, however, and was poisoned.

WAS WASHED OVERBOARD

CARGO OF LUMBER ON STEAMER VANCE LOST—SHIP TOWED INTO PORT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 3.—Marine circles were relieved today when it became known that the steamer Edward P. Vance had arrived during the night in tow of two tugs which responded to her signals of distress when she was battling with the storm last week. The Vance was badly damaged and her load of lumber was washed overboard.

STUDY OF THE LANGUAGE

NAMES OF MEN OFTEN BECOME PART OF COMMON SPEECH—GET A DICTIONARY

The study of language shows how the names of men often become a part of common speech. For instance, our word "dunce" comes from Duns Scotus, one of the most illustrious teachers of the Franciscan order. In his time theological controversy waged loud and fierce. His opponents, on hearing an argument from one of his school results, say contemptuously, "Oh, you are a Duns." Finally, the word came to mean a dull, ignorant person—and to be called "dunce." We get "nicotine," the alkaloid derived from tobacco, from Nicot, a famous French physician, who introduced the tobacco plant into Europe. The words "munchkinish," "celery," "chameleon," "chameleonism," "muckraker," and "haycock" were originally the names of the men who first invented or used the objects or actions described by them. Galvani, an Italian, first called attention to animal electricity, which is sometimes called "galvanism." Another Italian, Volta, gives his name to volt, now in common use. "Attila," now a synonym for a warlike conqueror, was once the name of a Hun who was once the demon of his people. From Homer's "Stentor," we have "stentorian," loud-voiced, from his "hector," who was somewhat of a bully, we have the verb "to hector." A certain patriotic French minister of finance, M. de Silhouette, sought to curb the extravagance of the government by cutting down the salaries of his officials, and so his name was given to the cheap black outline portrait we now know so well.

This list might be extended indefinitely as our language is rich in man-made words.

It is not the province of a dictionary to go into the origin and history of words, but The New Universities Dictionary contains the definition of such words as have passed into our common speech. Besides this, in its appendix it contains a real treasury of facts useful in every-day life. Our coupon offer, published in today's paper, explains our good fortune in being able to present what is an encyclopedia and a dictionary combined and in convenient form for daily use. We congratulate both our readers and ourselves on this stroke of good fortune.

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SUN FEATURES THURSDAY

Interesting Political Review by "The Spillbinder"—Other Departments for Sun Readers

The Spillbinder will discuss the recent meeting of the municipal council and other municipal matters of interest.

Valuable information concerning the bringing up of children will be given in "Four Boys and a Girl's Tomorrow." This will prove to be a most interesting and helpful article. The topic of the contribution to the Sun by "The French Maid," "In Midway's Round," will tell of the "art of smiling." "The Brown and Green Fairies" will give a delightful story for the little ones.

SUIT AGAINST N. Y. CENTRAL

NEW YORK, May 4.—Suits to regain the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad Company from proceeding with its issue of \$10,000,000 5 percent, 20-year debenture bonds, which began May 1, was filed yesterday by James Pollitz, a stockholder.

DRACUT

The selection of Dracut having the residence of Collinsville a hearing on their petition asking that a license to open Lakeview park on Sundays be refused the Bay State Street Railway Co. until the said company agrees to use the transfers on the Lakeview avenue line as far as Mammoth road, and after hearing the pro and con, the selectmen took the matter under advisement.

About 75 attended the hearing and a large number spoke in favor of the petition. A small number opposed the petition, stating they were in favor of using more insistent methods, but the petitioners insisted that the Sunday privileges at Lakeview park be done away with unless the company issues the transfers. Another matter brought to the attention of the selectmen was a request that a telephone be installed at the home of Police Officer Callahan at Collinsville at the expense of the town, but Selectman Duff informed the petitioners that there was no appropriation for such an expense and accordingly the demand could not be granted.



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THE NEW CEMETERY COMMISSION APPOINTED BY MAYOR MURPHY

LECTURE ON SOCIALISM

Rev. Fr. Strauss, O. M. I., Before C. M. A. C.—Revival of Christianity Only Cure for Social Ills.

The last in a series of lectures at the C. M. A. C. hall for this season was given last night by Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., professor of theology at the Oblate Institute, Tewksbury, when the learned clergyman delivered a lengthy address on "Socialism." The lecture was given following the regular business meeting of the C. M. A. C. and was largely attended. The distinguished lecturer was accompanied to the hall by Rev. Bernard J. McKenna, O. M. I., assistant provincial of the Oblate order and superior of the novitiate, Rev. Dr. H. Racette, O. M. I., pastor of St. Joseph's, and Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O. M. I., chaplain of the association.

The business meeting was held at 7:30 o'clock and was of short duration. President Arthur St. Hilaire occupied the chair and 32 new members were initiated, this being the largest class for a long time. Routine business was transacted and it was decided by the literary committee to suspend lectures until the fall.

Prior to the lecture by Rev. Fr. Strauss, the other clergyman present also addressed the gathering and their remarks on topics of the day were well received. At the close of the evening a rising vote of thanks was extended to the lecturer as well as the visiting clergyman.

Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., was introduced by President St. Hilaire and his address was a treat to the large gathering. The speaker spoke eloquently on the important subject, "Socialism," and his address was listened to with great interest. His lecture was in part as follows:

"What is socialism? What do socialists intend to do, once they have dissolved the present order of society, once they have destroyed the old social fabric? They mean, my dear friends, to reconstruct, to reorganize society, on the basis of a common ownership of the means and instruments of production."

"Were the socialistic regime established, private capital would be abolished and all the means of production—that is the land of a country and its buildings, ships, machines, tools, etc.—would belong to the community at large, instead of belonging, as they now mainly do, to private citizens and private corporations."

"This is how the socialists argue: The sole cause of all the difficulties, with which labor has to contend, is free competition in production. Take away competition and the labor question is solved. The only way to get rid of competitors is to have but one producer."

"The only way to have but one producer is to make all the means of production absolutely common property."

"But it may be asked: Would there be any private ownership at all in the socialist state? Doubtless there would be, for there is no reason why a man, even over such conditions, should not own a private property of things for his own private enjoyment. The only thing that would be denied to private ownership would be something commonly used or usable as a means of production."

"Again it may be asked: Is socialism merely a question of economics? Has it to do with morals?"

"To this I must answer that socialists themselves, Marx and Engels down to the present day teach that all institutions of whatever nature, religious, moral, intellectual, civil, etc., are but the result of economic structure. It follows that there can be no change in public things, in the other departments of human activity, socialism, therefore, which advocates economic revolution, must logically apply religious and moral revolution as well. Indeed, Mr. Ernest H. Cress, one of the most brilliant of European socialists, says: 'As a matter of fact, the modern movement of the modern family is sustained by the modern system of property, and when the latter gives place to something else, so must the former.'"

"So far, we have been trying to learn the exact nature of socialism; it is now time that we examine its claims. Can the economic change, which the party advocates, really be viewed with favor? I make bold to answer that it cannot. With your kind indulgence, my dear friends, I will state and explain the reasons which have led me to this conclusion."

HER HAIR WORTH \$20,000

NEW YORK GIRL AWARDED THAT SUM BY THE SUPREME COURT OF THAT CITY

NEW YORK, May 5.—The worth of a woman's hair was fixed yesterday at \$20,000 by a jury in the supreme court, which awarded that sum to 16-year-old Mary Haynes of Brooklyn, in her suit against the Calkins & Cobb company, dye makers, by whom she was formerly employed. Miss Haynes' hair was pulled out by the roots in an accident in the defendant's factory. Physicians testified that it would never grow out again.

CHARGE OF ESPIONAGE

SWOBODA MAKES DENIAL—SAYS HE KNEW OF WAR PLANS BY READING GERMAN PAPERS

PARIS, May 5.—A vigorous defense against the charge of espionage against Raymond Swoboda when he was examined yesterday by Major Julien of the Paris permanent court-martial, says the Petit Journal.

In an effort to prove his assertion that he really had important business deals on hand he gave the name of a person who loaned him 2500 francs, knowing that he was about to realize handsome profits.

Referring to the charges of espionage, Swoboda declared the remarks he made before the war began did not show he was aware of Germany's military plans. He asserted that anyone who read German newspapers and pamphlets would have gained the conviction that Europe was on the verge of hostilities.

The promoter insisted that his name was Swoboda, but admitted that he occasionally had been known as Schwind.

DENuded OF TROOPS

HEAVY ARTILLERY ALSO REMOVED FROM ADRIANOPLE, SAYS REPORT FROM SOFIA

LONDON, May 5.—Adrianople has been almost denuded of troops while all heavy artillery has been removed from the city, says a despatch to the Times from Sofia. A large part of the troops that were sent to the Gallipoli peninsula have been recalled in haste and sent to Kirk Kiliseh, 32 miles northeast of Adrianople and to Midia on the Black sea.

The Turkish government has reconsidered its decision to suspend railway service to Bulgaria in the fear that such a pretext might be made by Bulgaria to seize the railway. One train daily will be operated to Delagradina.

WON FIRST PRIZE

Mr. Paul Vernon Ingalls of this city has been awarded first prize in the annual essay contest of the Boston Chapter of the American Institute of Bankers. The essays were judged by Professor S. C. Hensley of Harvard university and two prominent Boston bankers. This is the second time the highest honor has come to Lowell. Mr. Albert A. Lyden of the Union National bank having won the prize two years ago. Mr. Ingalls is connected with the Appleton National bank of this city.

OLDEST IN NEW ENGLAND

Mrs. Mary D. Stackpole Died at Her Home in Wolfboro, N. H., After a Short Illness

WOLFBORO, N. H., May 5.—Mrs. Mary D. Stackpole, the oldest person in New England, died at her home here yesterday after a short illness, aged 103 years, 2 months and 19 days. Mrs. Stackpole retained her faculties up to her death.

HISTORIC TREE STUMPS GONE

BOSTON, May 5.—The stumps and roots of the two giant ash trees that bore silent witness of the battle of Lexington, on April 19, 1775, from where they stood in front of the historic Martine and Nathan Munroe house on Massachusetts avenue, Lexington, were finally removed yesterday, but only after five days of hard laboring by half a dozen men with picks, shovels, axes and considerable dynamite. The larger tree measured seven feet in diameter, and the other was five feet and three inches through.

ANSWER OF AUSTRIA

ITALY HAS REQUESTED A CLEAR STATEMENT OF AUSTRIA'S INTENTIONS

ROME, May 5.—The meeting of the cabinet which was to have been held yesterday has been postponed until this afternoon. A semi-official note says the ministers will consider the question of resuming parliamentary work.

The excitement caused by the abandonment by King Victor Emmanuel and the ministers of their proposed trip to Quarto Santhons has subsided in parliamentary circles, where it is believed there has been no essential modification of the situation. Conversations between Italy and Austria, it is reported, are being continued.

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COURT ARCHIVES BURNED

FIRE IN PALACE OF JUSTICE AT MADRID—CHURCH OF SANTA BARBARA BADLY DAMAGED

MADRID, May 5.—The court archives stored in the palace of justice were destroyed last evening. The flames broke out last evening. The flames have been brought under control, but probably will smoulder for a week, according to the chief of the fire department. Not only did the water supply fail but the firemen lacked adequate apparatus with which to make their fight.

The church of Santa Barbara, adjoining the palace of justice, was badly damaged, but the portion containing the tomb of Ferdinand VI of Burgundy was saved.

JUMPED TO HIS DEATH

U. S. CONSUL AT LYONS REPORTED TO HAVE COMMITTED SUICIDE BY LEAPING OVERBOARD

NAPLES, May 4, 11:50 p. m., via Paris, May 5.—The United States consul at Lyons, one of the passengers aboard the steamship San Antonio which has arrived here from New York, is reported to have committed suicide during the voyage by leaping overboard. He was on his way to his post in France.



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NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND DEPARTMENT WORK

Trouble Over Cement Contract —Cemetery Commissioners Will Organize Monday Afternoon

Laforest Beals of the E. A. Wilson Co., called on Mayor Murphy this morning to discuss the rejection of the E. A. Wilson contract for 500 barrels of Saylor Portland cement at \$1.50 a barrel.

Mr. Beals said that an injustice had been done by E. A. Wilson Co., and that the company does not intend to stand for it. He called attention to the fact that Mr. Morse had called for Saylor cement in his specifications and as a result of the contract having been awarded the E. A. Wilson company, by the purchasing agent, the company had ordered the cement and that it is now on the way.

Mr. Beals said he was aware of the fact that all contracts had to be ap-
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JOSEPH H. SHAWL DEAD ON CHARGE OF MURDER

WELL KNOWN SAUSAGE MERCHANT DIED SUDDENLY THIS MORNING

Joseph H. Shawl, the well known sausage merchant, died suddenly this morning at his home, 248 West Sixth street, aged 55 years. He leaves one daughter, Ida, and three sons, Henry, Ernest and Alphonse Shawl. He was a member of various organizations including the Commercial Travelers' association.

ONE MORE LICENSE ISSUED

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CHALIFOUX'S

ALLIES MEET REVERSES IN BOTH EAST AND WEST

Russians Defeated Along Entire Front —Successful German Attacks Reported in France and Belgium — Three More British Ships Lost

Further striking victories by the Austro-German forces in the east were announced today by the Berlin war office. It also stated that successes were won in France and Belgium. This report, together with the events of the last few days make it appear that the Teutonic allies have entered into offensive operations on both the eastern and western fronts such as have seldom been undertaken simultaneously since the war began.

Important Victory in Galicia

It is in Galicia that the most important victory is claimed. Following the successes of the last few days the Austro-German attack was extended further to the east into the heart of the wooded Carpathian section where the Russians have been struggling for months to break through into Hungary. The German announcement says the third fortified line of the Russians was pierced and that they were defeated along the entire front.

German Attacks at Ypres

In France and Belgium several German attacks are reported to have been made successfully. The official French statement dismisses the situation in Belgium with the statement that an attack on the British was repulsed.

Nine Trawlers Torpedoed

Nine trawlers were torpedoed by German submarines in the waters off England on Monday. In each instance the crew escaped.

Turkish Aeroplanes Brought Down

Unofficial reports from Saloniki say that two Turkish aeroplanes which attacked the allied fleet at the Dardanelles were brought down by the fire of the warships. The aeroplanes, manned by Germans, attacked the fleet with bombs but it is said did no damage.

Turks Rush to Adrianople

Negotiations between Turkey and Bulgaria apparently have become more uncertain. Turkey is sending troops hastily to the neighborhood of Adrianople after having withdrawn them for use on the Gallipoli peninsula.

Austria's Answer to Italy

Austria's answer to Italy's recent demands is expected tomorrow, and it is believed in Rome its character will determine the course of Italy. Notwithstanding the king's decision to remain away from the patriotic ceremony in connection with the Garibaldi memorial today, it is now believed in Rome that there has been no essential modification of the situation.

INHABITANTS OF GALLIOLI CROSS-ING IN LARGE NUMBERS TO ASIATIC SHORE

PARIS, May 5.—A Havas despatch from Athens filed yesterday states that the inhabitants of Gallipoli and other parts of the peninsula are crossing in large numbers to the Asiatic shore.

Two Hundred Turkish Prisoners Taken by the Allies were removed to Tenedos Monday.

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S EUROPEAN WAR NEWS IN BRIEF FORM

Austro-Germans pursue defeated Russians after taking 30,000 prisoners, according to Vienna.

Petrograd admits enemy has forced

JAPANESE ULTIMATUM TO CHINA GRANTS DELAY

Japanese Fleet of Warships 150 Miles From Peking — Gravest Peril in China's Modern History

LONDON, May 5.—"A Japanese ultimatum to China" cables the Tokio correspondent of the Central News, "grants a delay of 48 hours."

PEKING, China, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser and four torpedo boat destroyers have arrived at Chin-Wang-Tao on the Gulf of Peking, about 150 miles east of Peking, evidently for the purpose of removing from China the members of the Japanese legation.

Consular reports from all parts of the country announce the departure of Japanese or of their concentration at the Japanese consulates.

There is a substantial opinion in Peking that Japan may take action in regard to the non-acceptance of her demands by China without waiting upon the issuance of an ultimatum.

BELIEVE WAR NEAR

TOKIO, May 4.—All Japan has focused its attention on the Chinese situation which is believed to be full of historic possibilities. It is hoped that the foreign office has sent telegrams to all consuls in China, instructing them to prepare their nationals for possible departure. Japanese at Mukden have been asked to hold themselves in readiness to withdraw to places near the south Manchurian railroad.

Lieut. Gen. Count Teranishi, governor-general of Korea, has held a conference with the general staff of the army. The decisions of the cabinet and elder statesmen are expected tomorrow. The press say 48 hours will be the limit of the proposed ultimatum. Newspapers characterize as insulting the insistence of China that Japan's offer to restore Kiaochow be reduced to writing.

QUICK AT PEKING

PEKING, May 5.—The Chinese capital is remarkably quiet in the face of what the Peking Gazette calls "the gravest peril in China's modern history." Most of the people of the city are going about their business as usual apparently with no knowledge of the problem which confronts their country. The government has taken every measure to prevent anti-Japanese demonstrations.

Only the educated upper classes are informed of the progress of the negotiations with Japan. Among them the feeling is intense but there have been no demonstrations. Although reports have been received from southern cities that several men and one woman have committed suicide because "they did not wish to live to see China subjected."

After the news was received yesterday of Japan's proposed ultimatum a

CLAIMS MRS. BAILEY WAS KILLED IN THE DAYTIME

New Feature by State in Trial of Mrs. Carman—Mrs. M. I. Black Testifies Today

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 5.—District Attorney Smith last night today in placing on the stand the state's new witnesses in the second trial of Mrs. Florence C. Carman on the charge of slaying Mrs. Louise Bailey at Dr. Carman's office in Freeport, June 30 last.

Mrs. May I. Black, the first of these witnesses, testified that while sitting on her porch just east of the Carman home she heard the sound of an explosion and falling glass. She walked soon afterwards, with her daughter Ruth out on her lawn and stood opposite the window of Dr. Carman's office. She saw a man—she could not identify—outside the house at the window. She did not see anyone run from the grounds. The man went leisurely to the front of the house and out of her view.

It was shortly before eight o'clock and daylight in the evening of June 30, Mrs. Black said. The admission of this evidence was fought by Mrs. Carman's lawyers who contend that the shooting occurred after nightfall and that the assailant escaped in the dark.

BARNES-ROOSEVELT CASE

SYRACUSE, N. Y., May 5.—Upon the conclusion of Theodore Roosevelt's stay upon the witness stand in the supreme court the case of the defense in the suit of Barnes vs. Roosevelt for libel will be nearly ended. It was said today that only a few more witnesses remained to be called before the colonel's side would rest and counsel for William Barnes would begin their rebuttal.

Today the colonel was to continue to correct errors made in transcribing his testimony on direct and cross examination and offer evidence to prove that he harbored no malice for Mr. Barnes when he delivered speeches in which the name of the former chairman of the republican state committee was mentioned.

Also his counsel planned to have him testify regarding certain things which were excluded under an early ruling of the court, since rescinded.

There was a prospect today that several of the witnesses summoned for the defense might not be called upon to testify unless it was by the counsel for Mr. Barnes. Among this number

the passage of the Dunajec river in Galicia.

British abandon Zounechka and other villages east of Ypres, untenable because of recent German victory to the north.

French report successes at Steenstraete in Belgium and Bagatelle in Argonne.

Berlin tells of failure of French attack in the Argonne.

Russians give out statement of a victory over Turks in the Caucasus.

Allies resume the offensive on the Dardanelles, advancing into interior of Gallipoli peninsula.

Lloyd George hints England has practically reached limit in size of army she feels like raising.

War now costing Britain \$10,000,000 a day; government may drop liquor tax and call for great loan.

PREPARE TO LEAVE HANKOW
HANKOW, China, May 5.—The Japanese consul general received instructions from Tokio today directing him to be prepared to leave Hankow for Japan by tomorrow's steamer.

DEATH PENALTY STAYS

GOV. RYE VETOED BILL TO ABOLISH IT—ALSO VETOED ANTI-TIPPING BILL

NASHVILLE, Tenn., May 5.—Gov. Rye today vetoed a bill abolishing the death penalty, expressing the belief that it would tend to increase mob violence.

The governor also vetoed an anti-tipping bill.

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There was some fencing between the witness and counsel for the defense over amounts so paid. The former admitted that payments to the Journal company as commissions were "large" but not more definite.

"Where did the work come from?" was asked.

"Several places. Part was state, city and county work."

CASE GOES TO JURY

FRANK D. SAFFORD CHARGED WITH PERJURY IN CONNECTION WITH RAE TANZER'S SUIT

NEW YORK, May 5.—The case of Frank D. Safford, clerk of the hotel Kensington, Flatbush, N. Y., who has been on trial for more than a week charged with perjury in connection with the \$50,000 breach of promise suit brought by Miss Rae Tanzer against James W. Osborne, a well known criminal lawyer, went to the jury today.

Federal Judge Hough before whom the trial has been heard, charged the jury when the case was resumed today. He took an hour for his address and went into the case in detail.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Carpenters' union, local 1610, will meet tonight in the union headquarters in the Iturbide building.

Eddie Brennan of the National Biscuit Co. uses his Buick roadster on his suburban trips nowadays.

Several employees of the Massachusetts mills have been laid off temporarily waiting for orders.

Russell Lowe, president of the Parkhill Mfg. Co. of Pittsburgh, has gone to California and will visit the exposition.

The annual meeting of the New York State Knit Goods Manufacturers will be held at the Hotel Clifton, Utica, N. Y., on May 12.

The Theatrical Employees will banquet at Puccini tonight and present indications point to a large attendance. A number of prominent officials will be the speakers.

It is said that the manager of the Springfield Globe has been called being called a big league, but then didn't play in Nashville a couple of times? It isn't our fault, Pat. Honest!

The Fairmount Cannery held forth in formal opening at the camp at Willow Dale Sunday and the affair proved very enjoyable. John King of the W. J. Barry Shoe Co. was in charge of the arrangements.

The resignation of E. J. Chapman, superintendent of the R. J. Chapman, Danville, Vt., marks the retirement of one of the oldest and most successful men connected with the textile industry.

Hill Hecion, the popular tenorsol artist at Puccini's shop in East Merrimack street, has dug up a fund of new stories with which he deluged Artie O'Neil every afternoon. They do say that the curly bird yarn is the best, but Artie won't admit it.

Luke McCann of the N. E. T. & T.

Co. has purchased a new Buick type roadster through his brother who conducts a garage business in this city. Luke will undoubtedly put the car to good use on his out-of-town assignments this summer.

In the mills of Ireland, there are nearly 1,000,000 spindles at work, over \$35,000,000 invested in machinery, etc., and about \$20,000,000 constantly tied up in manufactured goods worth \$16,000,000 paid annually to Irish flax workers.

The great Edison is making dyes and making them right so that there is little danger of the shortage that was predicted but a short while ago. His product costs a little more than the German product in normal times, but when conditions face the industry such as now confront it, a few cents a pound is immaterial.

The following transactions in textile shares were recorded at last week's Boston auction: Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co. at 22 1/2; Great Falls Manufacturing Co. at 15 1/2; Lyman Mills at 11 1/2; Merrimack Mfg. Co. at 11 1/2; and 5 Soule Mills at 6 1/2.

At a meeting of the Four of Clubs held last Sunday it was voted unanimously to tender a banquet to the 25th anniversary of the taking of the Temple club, Willow Dale. James McEvoy of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co., presided at the meeting and John Joyce of the Merrimack mills, Patrick Flannery of the Bigelow-Hartford Carpet Co., and James Flannery of Boston were appointed on the banquet committee. John Baxter, the well-known tenor, employed at the Massachusetts mills, was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee, and he promises to arrange a program which will afford plenty of enjoyment for all who attend.

The Fifth of a series of ladies' nights was conducted in the C. Y. M. L. hall, Suffolk street, last evening. Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Miller's orchestra. At intermission which was played in the card room, the winners being John J. Flannery and Miss Ethel Sabourin.

Mr. John J. Neeson rendered several vocal solos which were well received. Mr. William Quinn was the accompanist. The committee in charge were: Mr. Bart Murray, chairman; Mr. Patrick Harrington, Mr. Patrick Cady, Mr. Patrick McGarrett, Mr. John McDer-mott.

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HOWARD, The Druggist, 197 Central St.

Persons From All Parts of Italy at Dedication of Monument

GENOA, May 5.—Every train which arrived here yesterday and last night was crowded with prominent persons from all parts of Italy, who have come here on their way to Quarto San't Elena to attend the dedication of the monument erected in honor of Garibaldi and his famous thousand who sailed from the little town in Sardinia on the expedition which resulted in the annexation of Sicily by Italy.

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FISH AND GAME

Local Association Holds Meeting — Prominent Men Elected

Millions of small brook trout, rainbow trout, black bass and white perch are being liberated by the agents of the fish and game commission to match their wits against the bigger fish and still larger fishermen in the ponds and streams of the state.

The activities of the Lowell Fish and Game association has brought a goodly number of the fish to Lowell, and the association will see to it that they are properly looked after. The local association met last night and a vote of thanks was passed in recognition of the interest taken in the association by Congressman John Jacob Rogers, Capt. Kerns of the U. S. Fish and Game, and United States Fish Commissioner Dr. H. M. Smith.

A communication was received from the state fish and game commission, in which the local organization was assured of an early supply of small trout, pheasants, and mallard ducks. The stocking of snowshoe rabbits cannot be undertaken, however, until next September, as the rabbits cannot be shipped from Maine between April and October.

A committee was appointed to look into the matter of conserving white perch in Lake Masucup, where large fish eat the spawn in shallow water. The committee will not use submergents, but will attempt to devise a method to prevent the destruction of the spawn.

It was voted to have the executive committee cooperate with Luther W. Paulkner, chief of the local Boy Scouts, for the better protection of birds and game. This is in line with a campaign directed by the American Game Protective and Propagation association.

A large number of new members were elected at last night's meeting, and the membership now totals 140.

The meeting was presided over by Elmer B. Harris, president, and Samuel P. Hadley, secretary, and a vote of recognition of his interest in the work of the association and the sport, as a whole, was elected an honorary member.

Other members elected last night were as follows: Paul Butler, Tyler A. Stevens, Fred C. Church, J. Barry Boardman, Frederick A. Fisher, George S. Motley, Edward Cawley, Wm. H. Joseph, Henry T. Wheeler, Wm. H. Wilson, Joseph Peabody, John J. Burns, Thomas Lees, Dr. Charles E. Mann, J. Mann Andrews, John F. Tinker, Frank J. Collins, Asa W. Stark, James Stuart Murphy, John M. J. Flinnerty and Charles F. Downey and others.

500 Mallard Ducks

The Lowell Fish and Game association succeeded in having considerably over a million of the 12,000,000 white perch fry to be distributed in the waters of the state, distributed in ponds about Lowell. The story of the distribution has already appeared in The Sun.

Before the spring stocking of the brooks and ponds has been completed, there will have been distributed several hundred thousand two-inch brook trout fingerlings, 200,000 rainbow trout fry, and thousands of young bass, and the local association will see to it that the brooks and ponds about Lowell will figure in the distribution.

One hundred pheasant chicks are being distributed now in open woods. Several hundred were put out during the winter in care of farmers. The number of mallard ducks being sent out is between 700 and 800.

COMMENDED BY DANIELS

SECRETARY OF NAVY PRAISES SAILORS FOR GALLANTRY—TAKES STEPS TO OBTAIN MEDAL

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Secretary Daniels has commended Charles F. Passmore, fireman, first class, and Allan R. Foster, shipfitter, second class, for gallantry in rescuing a fellow shipmate who jumped overboard from the receiving ship dock at the San Francisco training station April 12 last. Mr. Daniels has taken steps to obtain a lifesaving medal for Passmore.

Secretary Daniels also has commended Joe B. Cadenham, boatswain mate, second class, William R. Wells, coxswain, Harold S. Fosdick, boatswain mate, first class, and Herman M. Abrams, chief electrician, all serving on the cruiser Chattanooga for rescuing two persons thrown into the water by the upsetting of a shore boat off Corinto, Nicaragua, April 12.

Embassy officials today anxiously awaited information regarding reports of a renewal of fighting between Villa forces and Carranza troops near Tampico which said that the former had captured Panzac. Meagre advice to that effect had come to the state department from Vera Cruz.

The anxiety of embassy officials is due to the fact that Panzac, about 30 miles southwest of Tampico is located in a Mexican oil region, where there are many British owned wells, which supply British warships with oil. They recall that shell fire in the fighting near Ebano recently had ignited some of these wells.

DEVASTATING FLEET WORM

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The devastating fleet worm, scientifically known as the Tylechus Devastatrix has again made its appearance in the Pacific northwest, according to reports to the department of agriculture.

The pest, a tiny thread-like organism and a member of the family of nematodes is particularly destructive to many kinds of bulbous plants. Once a crop has become infested with these nematodes there is no known cure. Heretofore the United States has been almost free from the pest.

STAINED WITH CARVING FORK

BOSTON, May 5.—A fork from a carving set was used to strike an assassin yesterday afternoon by Carl Downey, 30, of 108 Lenox street, Roxbury, who twice stabbed Samuel Symes, 31, of 23 Windsor street, Roxbury, an officer of the City Police, to the City hospital and arrested Downey on the charge of felonious assault.

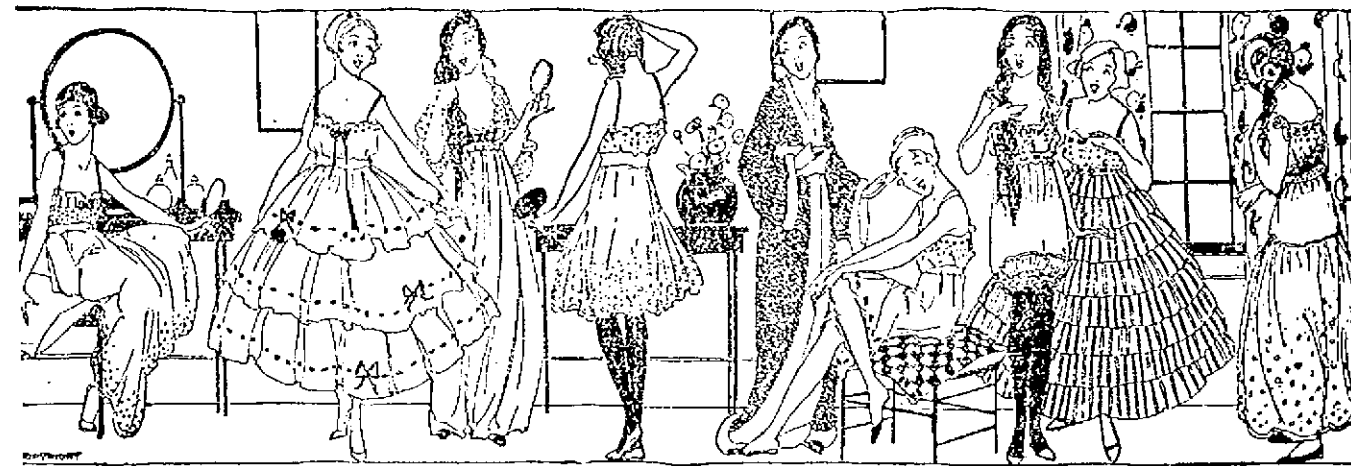
TO HIGHWAY COMMISSION

FORTLAND, Me., May 5.—Frank A. Peabody of Fortland was appointed a member of the state highway commission by Gov. Curtis today.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

—THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE—



The Annual May Sale of White Wear

Our yearly disposal of liberal quantities of standard qualities and newest styles in UNDERMUSLINS at reduced prices. This event, which commences tomorrow, will for several reasons constitute a record among our May white wear sales.

On the style end of it, the wide skirt fashions have necessitated style changes in underwear and we have taken very good care that these are at their best in the white wear presented in this sale.

On the price end of it, many of our manufacturers bought in the raw material market, when the cotton situation was at its lowest ebb—cotton at 7 1-2c as it was several months ago, was a price unknown for years previously.

So we start the 1915 MAY SALE OF WHITE WEAR TOMORROW with better news than we have been able to publish before as to quantities, variety, styles and prices. See Merrimack Street Window.

Envelope Chemise—Made of fine material, trimmed with dainty lace and embroideries. Regular price 69c. May sale, only 50c Each

Envelope Chemise—Of fine nainsook, trimmed with exquisite embroideries. Regular price \$1. May sale, only 79c Each

Envelope Chemise—Made of fine nainsook or batiste, trimmed with blind embroideries, Val. and fish-eye lace—\$1.50 value, at 1.00

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Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise—Made up especially for this May sale. Only 1.98 Each

Combinations—Crepe, muslin and nainsook, in fancy effects; lace and embroidery and ribbon run. Regular price \$1.50. May sale, only 1.00 Each

Combinations—Drawers and cover or skirt and cover, made of very fine nainsook, trimmed with beautiful laces and dainty blind embroideries. Regular price \$2.95. May sale, only 1.98

Night Gowns—Made of fine material, trimmed with dainty embroideries, made in low, high and V neck. Regular price 69c. May sale, only 50c

Gowns—Made of very fine nainsook, crepe and muslin; lace and embroidery trimmed. Regular price \$1.50. May sale only 1.00

Crepe Gowns—Made of figured crepe or plisse. Regular price \$1.00. May sale, only 59c

On Sale Thursday

Special Values in

RUGS, DRAPERIES AND UPHOLSTERINGS

New Fancy Serim, double woven borders, white, cream and Arab, 12 1-2c, 19c, 25c a Yard

Madras Laces, Scotch imported, white and ecru 19c to 89c a Yard

\$2.00 Curtains, \$2.00—Serim and Marquisette with laces, edges and insertion trimmed, 98c to \$1.25 a Pair

Extra large assortment to select from in white, cream and Arabian. \$1.50 to \$3.50 a Pair

East Section

Second Floor

Special Footwear on Sale Thursday

135 PAIRS ONLY, OF MEN'S AND BOYS' BASEBALL SHOES with spikes, a good fitting, comfortable last, sizes 5 to 10. Regular price \$3.00. Only \$1.85 a Pair

RUBBER SOLED OXFORDS AND RUMPS FOR WOMEN in gun metal, tan calf and white buck, sizes 2 1-2 to 7. Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00. Only \$1.98 a Pair

Palmer Street

Basement

UNDERPRICE BASEMENT DEPARTMENT

THURSDAY SPECIALS

FINE GINGHAM—6000 yards of fine dress and staple patterns gingham, large variety of patterns and fast colors; remnants from 2 to 10 yards; 10c value. Thursday Special, 5c Yard

HUCK TOWELING—One case of good bleached huck toweling in remnants; 8c value. Thursday Special, 3 1/2c Yard

HUCK TOWELS—50 dozen of very large huck towels, good and heavy quality; 12 1-2c value. Thursday Special, 10c Each

LADIES' HOSE—100 dozen ladies' hose, black, tan and white; very good quality, full seamless and double soles; seconds of the 12 1-2c quality. Thursday Special, 8 1/4c Pair

READY TO WEAR SECTION

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—50 dozen children's dresses, made of fine gingham in large assortment of styles; sizes 2 to 11 years; 50c value. Thursday Special, 35c

Men's Furnishing Section, Basement

Men's Hose—200 dozen men's cotton hose, three thread linen heel and toe, medium weight, black, tan, light pearl, navy, white, battleship gray; 12 1-2c value at 6 1/4c Pair

Boys' Clothing Section, Basement

30 DOZ. BOYS' BLOOMER PANTS, made of good wool material, sizes 4 to 14. Thursday Special, 16c Pair

BASEMENT

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P. T. WHITE, WHO HALTED TRIAL AND CONFERRED TO HIGHWAY ROBBERY, GIVEN 15 YEARS

NEW YORK, May 5.—Philip T. White, sales manager of the Minsky Paint Co. of Brooklyn, who dramatically halted his trial last week, confessed that he had been leading a double life and was the leader of a band of highwaymen who held up his employers' bank messengers and robbed them of nearly \$7,000, was sentenced to Sing Sing prison today for not less than seven and one-half years nor more than 15 years' imprisonment. James F. Clum, his confessed chief accomplice, was given a similar sentence and the three other accomplices, Robert S. Roberts, Benjamin Moore and Thomas H. Daley, who followed White's lead, a day later pleaded guilty, were given terms of not less than two or more than five years.

Several hundred women in Flinwood, Pa., have started a crusade to place under the city every theatre and other business that uses billboards as an advertising medium.

TOOK STEEL FROM HEART

SPLINTER OF HAND GRENADE EXTRACTED IN UNIQUE SURGICAL OPERATION

PARIS, May 5.—A young sergeant in the French army from whose heart a splinter of a hand grenade was extracted by Dr. Bousquet, chief of the military hospital was presented before the Academy of Medicine last night by Prof. Armandoulet of Bordeaux. The patient was wounded Oct. 1 at St. Hubert when the steel fragment of the grenade penetrated his diaphragmatic pericardium and cardiac muscles, lodging within the right ventricle. The splinter remained in the ventricle four and a half months before it was extracted. The operation is declared unique in the annals of surgery. Considerable difficulty was experienced in removing the piece of steel as it slipped from the forceps several times. Various complications were feared but everything went well and the soldier is considered cured as his heart acts normally.

THREE ROOM FURNISHED TENEMENT for rent for light housekeeping. 25 Gorham st.

CITY HALL NEWS

Continued

proved by the municipal council, and in this instance, he said, it was not to be supposed that the council would do more than to approve the contract, which the council was sure would have been made for the city. Mr. Beals' rejection of the contract, Mr. Beals' rejection of it was plainly unfair to his company to have the contract rejected when it complied in every way with the specifications. His company was the lowest bidder and he called for by the commissioner of streets in his requisition and later incorporated in the specifications. The mayor said he was not in a position to do very much about it. He said that the commissioner of streets had rejected the contract and that the council did not have the power to override his objection. He called attention to the fact, however, that the contract has not yet been granted to anybody.

The cemetery commissioners appointed by the mayor recently, Simon R. Harris, John J. O'Connell, John H. Robertson, William H. Richey and Geo. H. Taylor, will meet to organize Monday afternoon at 2:30. The meeting has been called by Mayor Murphy and will be held in the mayor's reception room. The mayor stated this morning that he talked with all of the five commissioners before appointing them, and that they had all agreed to serve. They have not yet been to the city clerk's office to qualify for office and the cemetery management will not be transferred to them until they have qualified and organized.

The Pawtucket Bridge. A number of Pawtucketville people who are interested in the proposition for a new bridge attended the meeting of the municipal council yesterday and went away somewhat disappointed. Some members of the council had told them that the Pawtucket bridge question would be discussed at the meeting. They remained until nearly 2 o'clock and some of them remained long enough to take in the scene between Charlie Morse and Frank Mallory. Most of them, however, were busy people and they did not relish the idea of losing half a day. Asked today if he knew who had told the bridge proponents that the bridge matter was going to be discussed at the meeting, Mayor Murphy said: "I don't know who told them that I didn't."

It was stated today that the only plans of the proposed new bridge were drawn by George H. Denman of Springfield. Mr. Denman, it will be remembered, came to Lowell a few weeks ago and delivered an illustrated lecture on bridges at the Pawtucket church. He did not prepare the plans for the city and did not visit the city. He was granted that he prepared them for the people who are calling for the bridge. He estimated the cost at \$50,000. That was exactly City Engineer Kearney's estimate of the cost with an additional \$20,000 for land damages.

Clearing the Way. City Engineer Stephen Kearney has submitted to the municipal council the following list of poles to be removed from route of white way: Poles in front of 438 Merrimack street; 435 Merrimack street; Lowell Pharmacy, Merrimack street, and 430 Merrimack street, and poles at 27, 63, 73, 83, 93, 103, 113, 123, 133, 143, 153, 163, 173, 183, 193, 203, 213, 223, 233, 243, 253, 263, 273, 283, 293, 303, 313, 323, 333, 343, 353, 363, 373, 383, 393, 403, 413, 423, 433, 443, 453, 463, 473, 483, 493, 503, 513, 523, 533, 543, 553, 563, 573, 583, 593, 603, 613, 623, 633, 643, 653, 663, 673, 683, 693, 703, 713, 723, 733, 743, 753, 763, 773, 783, 793, 803, 813, 823, 833, 843, 853, 863, 873, 883, 893, 903, 913, 923, 933, 943, 953, 963, 973, 983, 993, 1003, 1013, 1023, 1033, 1043, 1053, 1063, 1073, 1083, 1093, 1103, 1113, 1123, 1133, 1143, 1153, 1163, 1173, 1183, 1193, 1203, 1213, 1223, 1233, 1243, 1253, 1263, 1273, 1283, 1293, 1303, 1313, 1323, 1333, 1343, 1353, 1363, 1373, 1383, 1393, 1403, 1413, 1423, 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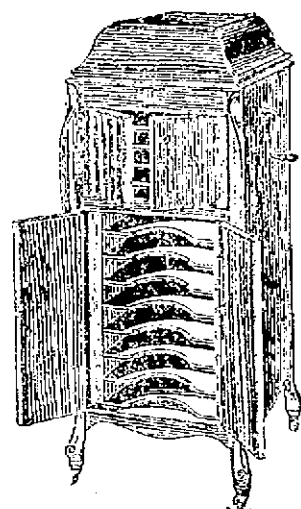
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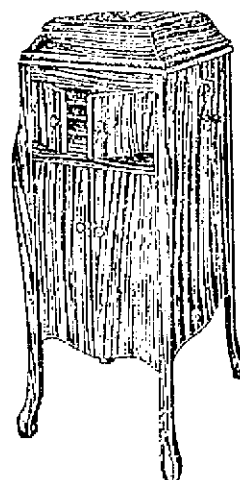
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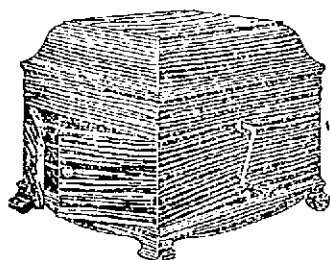


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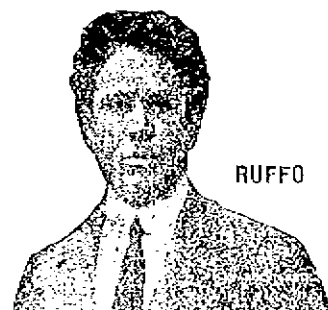
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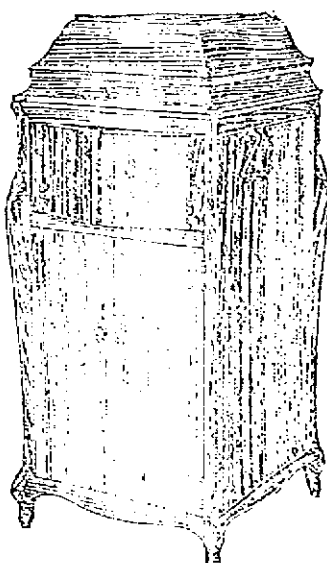
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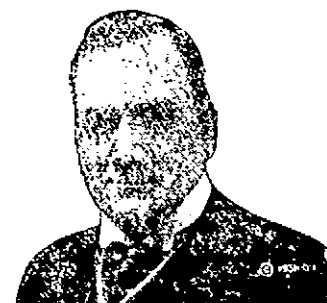


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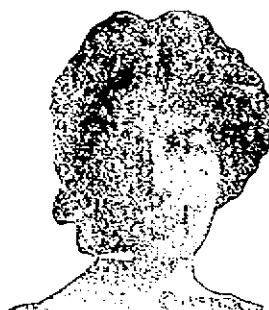
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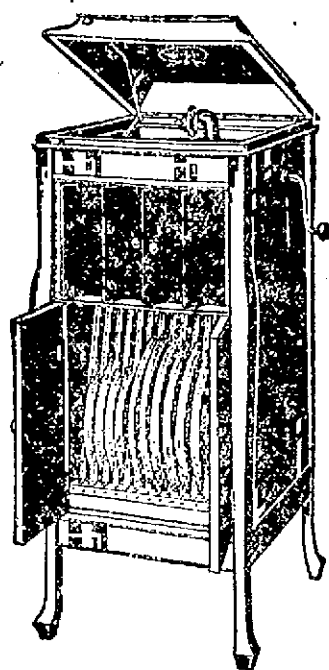
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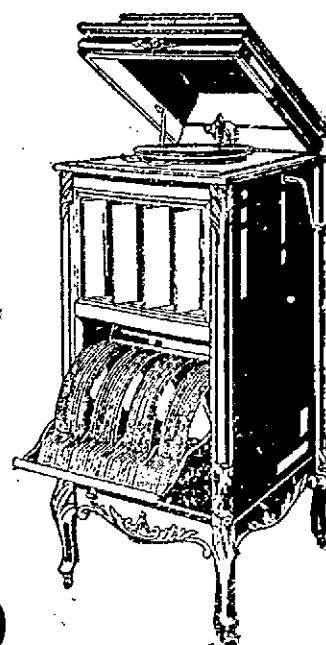


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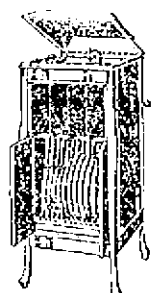
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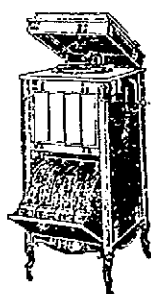
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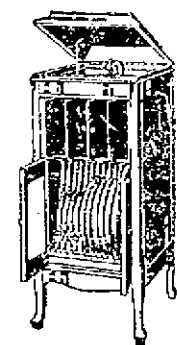
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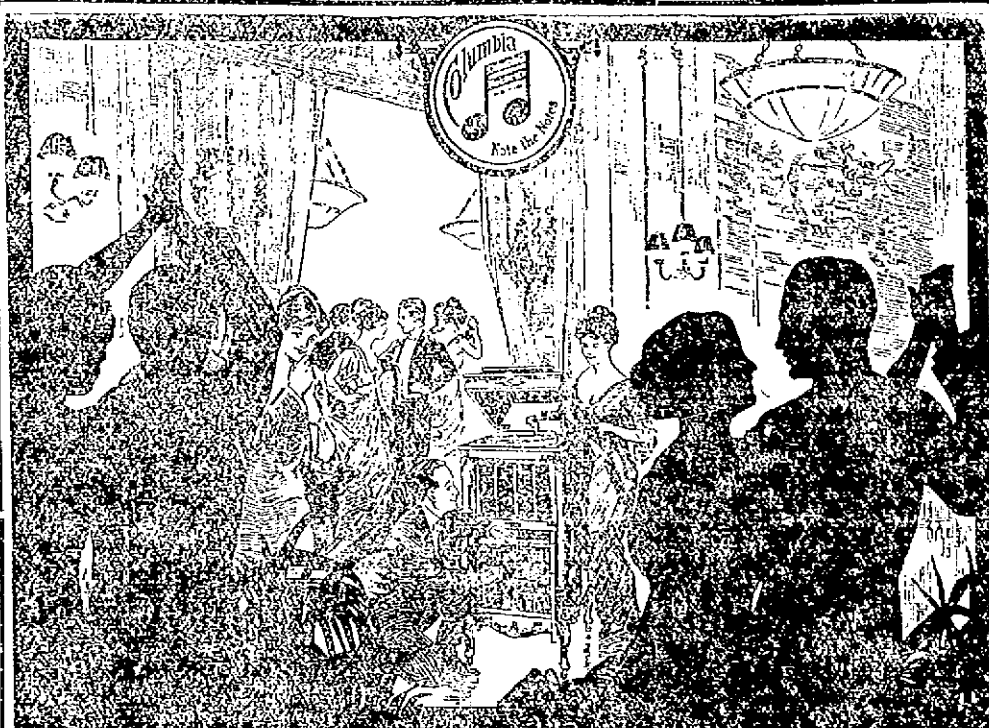


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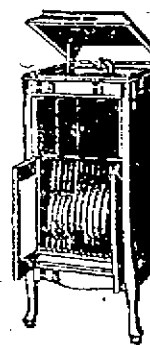
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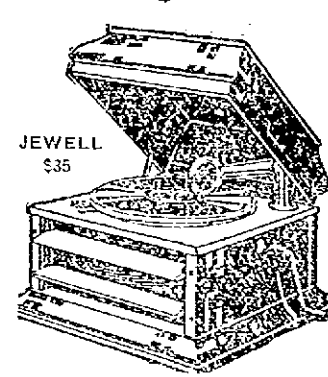
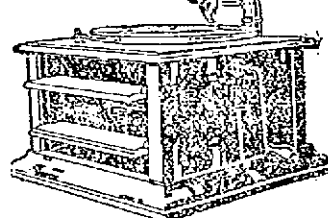
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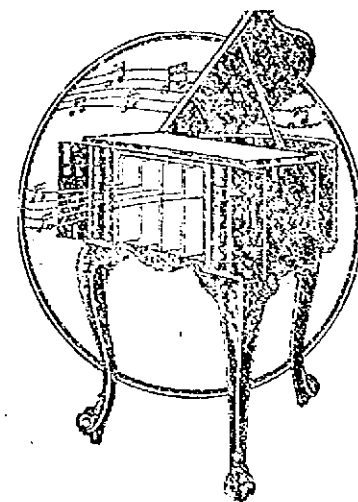
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GROWING ERA OF PROSPERITY

One who watches the increase in general prosperity from week to week may feel a little disappointment that it is so slow, but it is growing steadily and surely. If each week be compared with the preceding, the effect is not startling, but a comparison of the past four months shows a considerable and consistent gain. Furthermore, we are assured by some of the most conservative journals and business leaders in the country that business is on the mend in the strictest sense and that general improvement is to be expected, growing greater as the months advance. In short, we are well along the road to prosperity.

The United States steel corporation published the report of its quarterly earnings last week and showed that though January was the poorest month in its history, February showed decided improvement, and March returns were equal to those of January and February combined. This condition is true to a more or less degree of general business, bearing out the predictions of those who declared that recovery from the stagnation which resulted from the war would be gradual.

Following is a summary of general business conditions from the Worcester Post:

In steadily increasing volume and momentum come the reports of business improvement on every side. Last week was perhaps the most encouraging of any since the war catastrophe overtook the world. Gradually increasing railroad gross earnings, larger bank clearings, fewer failures, better collections and less unemployment are noted by the trade journals, while wheat crop prospects continue excellent. The April shipments of anthracite coal seem to have surpassed all records, while copper continues to rise in price and production. Sales of pig iron last week were the largest for a year, and the steel industry, which Carmichael once described as either a "prince or a pauper," is also in increasingly vigorous movement. The war orders which have come in fairly overwhelming volume for the competitors of the trust, now show their effect secondarily upon that organization itself.

To come to the mill situation, specifically, in which Lowell has a most especial interest, Fibre and Fabrie, the leading organ of the textile industry, in reference to the increasing value of New England shares, says: "It is a splendid sign of improvement in the mill business, and from the fact that this advance in the selling price of shares, coupled with a growing demand on the part of conservative investors, shows to us the most assuring evidence that we are on the edge of a boom that will prove wonderfully beneficial to all New England." This is all the more gratifying when one considers that Fibre and Fabrie has been one of the most pessimistic journals of the past year.

Very creditable as indicating the general spirit of the country, too, is the fact that practically all interests seem to be working for prosperity. It may be that the spectacle of the great war and our close shave in escaping a crippling panic has shown the falsity and danger of political meddling with the industrial situation, but it is certain that in the main there is little effort to turn the late depression or the coming prosperity to the advantage of any party or clique. It is as though the nation is heartily glad to be at peace and enjoying prosperity, and that the big consideration has swallowed all the smaller ones and stilled partisan opposition.

Still, it will not do for the business interests of this country to sit back awaiting prosperity. They must go out to meet it and provide for it. They must prepare for close competition when the war is over, they must avoid any large policy that would have a disturbing domestic effect and make practical plans for foreign trade extension, including one of the most important of all—plans for the restoration of our merchant marine. This nation has been taught many great lessons during the past year, which, if applied properly in the near future, may bring on American business an era of prosperity such as has not been hitherto enjoyed.

TALKING OF PEACE

Some papers in this section of the country have discovered that in the matter of possible peace and the time of its coming they have far more wisdom than all the women who recently went on a peace errand to The Hague; consequently, they offer very pertinent suggestions, not only to the women but in the warring powers. One sage editor says: "It is a sheer waste of time and words to counsel peace now among the warring European nations; and the women in conference at The Hague, who propose the immediate cessation of hostilities, show a deficient sense of perspective that is a sorry reflection on their judgment."

With all due respect to this authority, The Hague conference showed nothing of the kind, and nothing said there indicated that the women had any hope of having any great effect on the rulers who are responsible for the war. Miss Jane Addams declared emphatically before sailing from this country that even though the mission were futile, the women would meet to enunciate a principle that will live and flourish when the war is but a memory.

It is no slight thing to consider that when history tells of the present struggle, it will note that in the midst of it some of the most distinguished women of all the warring and neutral nations traveled through perilous seas in order to raise their voices in protest against the slaughter that was bringing untold sorrow to the hearts of so many of their sisters. In the movement now considered of secondary importance—is the germ of universal and permanent peace when the brains of the editors of today have crumbled to dust. All honor to the fine women who had the courage of their convictions and who voiced a feeling that is growing, not among the rulers or governments, perhaps, but among the common people of all nations.

To come to peace prospects directly, there are none just now. The war still rages in all its dreadful intensity and it must spend its fury before any of the powers see for peace. As it is to be fought to the finish, as it first intended, no one can say when the end will be. Yet in all nations there is some indication of a feeling to demand some movement for a speedy settlement before the world is prostrated beyond speedy redemption.

Woman's Health Requires Care

Women are so constituted as to be peculiarly susceptible to constipation, and their general health depends in large measure on careful regulation and attention of this tendency. Their delicate organization is liable to the violence of cathartic and purgative remedies, which while they may afford temporary relief, shock the system and seriously disturb the functional organs. A mild laxative is far preferable, and if properly compounded, much more effective. The combination of simple laxative herbs with potent salt in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Stomach Regulator, is ideal for women's use. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 312 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

Charles V. Chapin, public health officer of Rhode Island who trains his 42-centimeter guns of criticism on the "swat the fly" campaigns, the "clean-up" movements and all the other things that we have been thinking and preaching for the last few years. Incidentally he pays his dubious respects to public health bulletins that are couched in catchy phrases but lacking in accuracy and truth. Verily, a courageous man is Dr. Chapin.

On deeper examination, however, it will be seen that the distinguished critic does not attack the principle behind such movements but attacks the public indifference that would be satisfied with them. He condemns the fly swatting, for instance, not because it is cruel to the flies but because it is ineffective. "The swat-the-fly campaigns tell us," he says, "how many millions of flies we kill when we lay one fly low, but they have not as yet produced the slightest evidence to show that all their swatting has an appreciable effect on the number of flies later in the summer." In effect, the shrewd gentleman says: "Very good, but it does not go far enough; get to the root of the problem."

In the matter of street cleaning and similar activities, he deplores the fact that so many superficial things attract attention while the deeper health problems are neglected. "Cleaning up is a very good thing," he says, "but it is not going to make any appreciable decrease in the death rate nor aid much in the prevention of disease." Very true, and also, very helpful. Yet, had the doctor read the local papers, including The Sun, he would have seen that we laid special emphasis on the fact that fly prevention and continued clean-up activity are essential if the occasional campaigns are to have permanent results. The individual does not rest content with a yearly bath, still an occasional zeal for cleanliness results in special efforts revealed in a patronage of the bath, the barber, the chiropractor and possibly the manicurist. Good stuff, Doc! Now for the rake, the shovel, the broom and the fly swatter!

COST OF GOVERNMENT

In a recent speech, Speaker Cox of the house of representatives expressed wonderment at the apparent indifference of the public to the increasing cost of government. He asked sarcastically how long it would be when there would not be enough private citizens left to support the government? Of the 7000 enactments by the legislature in the last few years, he said, 75 per cent of them have been unnecessary, and the tendency is to create an army

of officials in commissions and bureaus. Let it not be forgotten that his persistent criticism is of a republican legislature that was elected last year after a great deal of talk about the necessity for legislative economy.

That the public is in reality waking up to conditions is apparent from many indications at the present time. There is a general protest against unnecessary pensions and other things, and the people are also showing a disposition to approve of Governor Walsh's attempts to reorganize boards and commissions in the interest of efficiency and economy. It will be very interesting to watch the course taken by Speaker Cox during the next state campaign. Then, in line with the conduct of republicans in the past, he will probably attempt to father the extravagance of the legislature of the last few years on the democrats of Massachusetts, wilfully ignoring the fact that for many years the republicans have had a workable majority in both the house and senate. Let the republicans answer to the public for the extravagances that are all too apparent.

Rather strange that with all his political and general wisdom, Theodore Roosevelt should have been so ready to write letters. This is not the first time a letter has shown up to embarrass him and throw an unbecoming light on phases of his character. Seems too bad that some people will judge him by some of his letters and what they portended rather than by his own estimate of himself, which, to say the least, is slightly flattering.

It looks as though the allies are gaining at the Dardanelles, slowly it may be but surely. The storming of the forts continues and many contingents of troops have apparently been landed at different points along the Gallipoli peninsula. The attention of the world is now directed towards this region, for the daily revelations there will have a large part in shaping the outcome of the war.

President Wilson is going slow in his deliberations over the case of the Gulf, but if it really was sunk by a German submarine, it is probable that the decision will be so specific as to do away with all future uncertainty as to our official attitude on such matters.

Second case of typhus fever reaches New York. A message from the war zone which shows one of the most unromantic sides of the struggle.

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SEEN AND HEARD

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"Your husband has been ill," said the caller. "Yes," replied the little worried looking woman, he's been feeling very badly. I do my best to please him, but nothing seems to satisfy him.

"Is his condition critical?" "It's worse than critical," she answered, with a sigh. "It's abusive."

CAUGHT HIM
"Dick," said his wife, as she poured the breakfast coffee, "did you get any mail this morning?"

"Nothing but papers," "Did you post that letter I gave you yesterday?"

"Certainly I did." "Strange you haven't received it. It was addressed to you,"—Pittsburgh (Chronicle-Telegram).

BEARS SPEAK UP!

A tourist, traveling in the Rocky mountains, was introduced to an old hunter who claims to have killed no fewer than 60 bears.

"Bill," said the introducer, "this fellow wants to hear some ear-ear escapes you've had from bears." The old man, rubbing his eyes, looked the stranger over and said: "Young man, if there's been any narrow escapes, the bears had 'em."

THE DOUBLES

Col. Roosevelt, as all the world may not know, shaves every evening before he goes to bed. Apropos of this fact there is a little story.

Before the outbreak of the war, a robust man of middle age approached the colonel and said, displaying a row of strong white teeth in a smile: "Colonel, I'm taken for you every where. It's most embarrassing."

"Colonel Roosevelt looked the man over keenly, then, with a smile that displayed his own strong white teeth, he said:—

"Well, of all my doubles you resemble me the most. In fact if I could stand up before me every evening I'd be able to shave by you."

QUITE A SURPRISE

A builder's man was seen walking with his right arm above his head and slightly bent, as if carrying an object of some weight.

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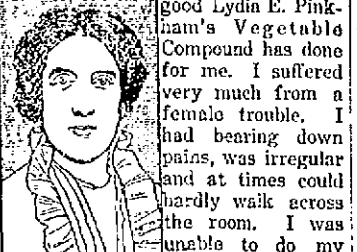
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FOURTH OF JULY

The "safe and sane Fourth" movement has received an unexpected boost this year. Skyrockets, Roman candles, fire crackers and the other accessories of Fourth of July have been very high, even before being lighted, according to all reports. The reason for this is found in the shortage of chemicals which are used in the manufacture of fireworks, and as a result the prices of fireworks are going to be very high. Of course, the only real explanation is the fact that Europe is interfering with the celebration of July 4 by taking away enormous quantities of gunpowder and stopping the importation of the essential chemicals. The situation is so bad that a number of the towns have eliminated their Fourth of July celebration, and are trying to celebrate on account of the high prices being asked for this form of amusement.

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SERMON ON DRINK EVIL

Strong Discourse by Rev. Fr. Lawlor at St. Michael's Mission for Men—Large Attendance

The third night of the mission for the men of St. Michael's parish brought another vast congregation. The beautiful edifice was crowded to the doors, the attendance even exceeding that of the previous nights. Every seat in the big auditorium was taken and the sanctuary was filled by the men of the parish. Extra seats were also placed outside the altar railing and the choir loft was also filled.

Rev. Fr. Lawlor, O. P., gave the instructions and preached the sermon of the evening on "Intemperance." In opening he congratulated the men of the parish on their excellent attendance at both the morning and evening services, and said he hoped the good work would be continued.

The reverend preacher told of the creation of man by God and the power given to him over everything in the world. Man, he said, was made to be a little less than the angels, and a living temple of the Holy Ghost. If man so wills, said Fr. Lawlor, he can bring himself to the very throne of God and offer himself up at Mount Calvary that the souls of men might be saved.

Fr. Lawlor then told of the three great attributes given the soul of man by God—will, understanding and memory, and proceeded to tell how these gifts were abused by the man who is a slave to intoxicating liquors.

When God made man, said Fr. Lawlor, He opened unto him the gates of heaven, but God has been displeased with a great many men because of their fall from grace by drink, and these gates are closed and the gates of hell are yawning for them. The evil of intoxication, said Fr. Lawlor, is one of the greatest offenses against God, and every time a man becomes intoxicated he mocks and jeers at the Creator who made him. This country needs strong and sober men today, said the reverend preacher, more than at any other time, but we haven't them and never will have until the men of the country abandon drink. The man who is intoxicated all the time belongs to God, said Fr. Lawlor, but God disowns him because only a devilment to God, he said, but to the state, the community he resides in, to his wife and children and his children's children.

The preacher then told of the newly married couple and of the love and kindness shown by the husband to his wife before falling into the vice of intoxication. The man comes home from his work at night, he said, and the moment he crosses the threshold he looks for the girl he promised always to protect. He doesn't have to look long, and that young girl runs to him and

throws herself in his arms, and he kisses her. But the moment drink enters that home, said Fr. Lawlor, all this happiness is thrown aside, and instead of the welcome kiss, the intoxicated husband pushes her aside and sometimes brutally beats her, while his wife and her children are substituted for love and happiness. The wife is his servant, he said, and she always is a victim to the low passions of the intoxicated brute. A child born of a drunkard's passion is the climax, and this, he said, is the worst evil of drink, because the trait will either show up in that child or in future generations.

The reverend gentleman also told of the intoxicated man who comes home to his family and refuses to give his wife money to provide clothing and food for his children. Many women, said Fr. Lawlor, have stayed away from church because their husbands would rather spend their money on drink than give it to their wives for clothing and food. He also told of a woman who came to him and told him that she had to borrow the clothes she had on her back to go to confession, because her husband was a slave to alcoholic liquors.

The preacher next dealt with the young men, and to this class he was equally severe. The drink habit is prevalent with the young men of today more than ever before, said Fr. Lawlor, and it is slowly driving hundreds of them to jails and insane asylums.

The man who persists in drinking and becoming intoxicated, said Fr. Lawlor, is worse than a yellow cur, because the dog has more physical strength than the lowly drunk. He also dwelt for some time on the practice of the young men who are drinking a beverage known as "rot rot" and urged them to get away from the practice as quickly as possible.

Fr. Lawlor said that the evil of drink has prevented hundreds of young men from getting married, and that it leads them into other vices.

In closing he urged the young man who is addicted to the habit of drinking to give up the habit, and save the money he would spend for drink and in a few years go to some good girl and ask her to become his wife. His counsel to others was, "Be a man. If you have the will power to take a drink and let it alone, all well and good. If you can't do this, give it up entirely."

Condemnation of the illegal sacrament followed with Rev. Francis Mullin presiding. During the services the male sanctuary choir under the direction of Choirmaster James A. Murphy rendered "O Salutaris" and "Tantum Ergo." The services ended with congregational singing.

TURKS RETREAT

Pursuit of Troops in Khorl-Dalmon Region Being Continued

TIFLIS, Transcaucasia, May 5.—The pursuit of the defeated Turkish army under the command of Khalil Bey in the Khorl-Dalmon region of the Caucasus is being continued, according to trustworthy advices reaching Tiflis.

LOYAL EXCELSIOR LODGE

ARRANGEMENTS FOR ANNUAL OUTING TO BE HELD THIS YEAR AT HUNTING GROUNDS

Loyal Excelsior lodge, No. 6302, I. O. O. F. M. U., held its regular meeting in Post 129 hall, Merrimack street last evening with a large attendance. The principal business was the call for the next district meeting, which is to be held at Beverly on May 12, 1915. After the call had been debated it was decided that it be left in the hands of the delegates of the lodge who are P. G. Benjamin Ingham and P. G. Geo. W. Emsley. The entertainment committee is also making preparations for the annual outing of Excelsior lodge which will be held at the Hunting grounds on Aug. 14. It is the intention of the entertainment committee to have a fine list of sports for the outing. The meeting was then adjourned until May 15, 1915.

PROMINENT PREACHER DEAD

BOSTON, May 5.—Solomon Schindler, rabbi emeritus of Temple Israel of this city and one of the best known Jewish preachers and teachers in New England, died suddenly today. He was born in Silesia 73 years ago.

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ANTI-SUFFRAGISTS PREDICT DEFEAT FOR SUFFRAGE IN EASTERN STATES



LEADERS IN ANTI-SUFFRAGE MOVEMENT

TRENTON, N. J., May 5.—At a meeting of anti-suffragists held in this city national officers of the anti-suffrage movement predicted that the four states east of the Mississippi in which elections are to be held this year would return a total majority of 300,000 votes against granting to women the right to vote. Their campaign for New Jersey, Pennsylvania, New York and Massachusetts began with a great mass meeting and business session of the New Jersey Association Opposed to Woman Suffrage. There were many national officers among the speakers. They were emphatic in their declaration that suffrage was on the wane. The association adopted as its official slogan "Stand by the women; vote 'No' on woman suffrage." In the accompanying illustration are shown, left to right, Mrs. Arthur M. Dodge, Mrs. Alice Hill Chittenden, Mrs. Horace Brock and Mrs. E. Yarde Reese, leaders in the anti-suffrage movement.

Senator of Boston, will lecture before the members of the Lowell grange at the regular meeting which will be held Friday evening, his subject to be on "Good Citizenship."

Donaldus Blais, formerly of this city and now of Winoski, Vt., where he is at the head of a successful business, was renewing acquaintances in this city yesterday.

This forenoon the members of the Sam Walker Foss club held a home 20 Hurdle street, yesterday afternoon. The subject of discussion was "The Value of Natural Science."

The many friends of Mrs. Mary E. Gibbons, nee Dolan, who recently underwent an operation at St. John's hospital, will be pleased to know she is improving at her home on Marshall street.

James H. Walker of the Butler-Veteran Firemen's association of this city has been appointed on a committee to arrange for the annual league muster to be held at Marblehead, the appointment having been given at the quarterly meeting of the New England States Veteran Firemen's league held at Providence, R. I., yesterday.

Mr. John J. Dalton has been invited by Manchester lodge of Elks to sing at their ladies' night, next Monday evening, and he will accept.

Mr. Dalton and his wife, Mrs. E. Dalton, gave a big hit at an entertainment at Lake Massabesic some years ago and since that time they have appeared frequently in the New Hampshire city.

RUSSIANS ADMIT DEFEAT

LONDON, May 5.—The Russian reports concerning the recent fighting in Western Galicia are being accepted by British military critics as reducing the German claims of victory in this battle to mere just proportions. Following his custom, Grand Duke Nicholas, commander-in-chief in the field, has not hesitated to admit a reverse and confirms the German statement that his antagonists have succeeded in breaking across the Dunajec river but the grand duke adds he is holding them fast on the bank of this stream and he seems to intimate that he has little anxiety concerning the ultimate outcome of the fierce fighting which has been going on in this region for a week past.

Observers in London are of the opinion that the fact that the Russians have not been diverted from their objective elsewhere and that the battles in the Carpathian region continue unabated is sufficient evidence that the situation of the Russians is not so critical as has been painted and the idea has been advanced in London that political reasons may have had something to do with the huge importance attached to this success by the German and Austrian governments in their official communications concerning it.

It is admitted that the reorganization of the British line in Flanders with the consequent abandonment of several positions east of Ypres marks the extent of the advantages won by Germany from her victory between Ypres and Bapaume. By strengthening this line, however, Sir John French, the British commander in chief has cut off a salient which threatened military disadvantage should the Germans attempt another thrust with the reinforcements said to be moving through Belgium. All the German attacks thus far, according to both the British and

French official statements have been shattered on this new line.

The news from Gallipoli is considered reassuring, setting forth as it does that the allies have made good the positions gained after the first fierce onslaught upon the Turks during the landing operations. Subsequent German and Turkish attacks have been repulsed with heavy losses to the Ottoman forces who gradually are being pushed in a northerly direction.

The German submarine campaign in the waters of the United Kingdom shows no signs of a let-up. The list of vessels sent to the bottom lengthens every day, although the craft sunk mostly are of small importance. Scandinavian ship owners are suffering more than are the British and the newspapers of Norway and Sweden have been referring in sarcastic terms to Germany's "bravery" in torpedoing all the Swedish and Norwegian ships she meets."

BERLIN REPORTS BRITISH CONTINUE RETREAT WITH HEAVY LOSSES

BERLIN, May 5.—The statement issued today at army headquarters relates that the British continue their retreat with heavy losses to the east of Ypres, that a strong French attack delivered yesterday northwest of Pont Dousson broke down under the German fire with heavy losses to the attackers and that to the northeast of Euseki and to the east of Auzanow numerous Russian advances failed and the Germans took 100 prisoners. Referring to the fighting in West Galicia, the report says an Austro-German attack north of the wooded Carpathians pierced the third fortified Russian line and that the Russians are retreating after defeat along this entire front and that the Russians are beginning to evacuate threatened positions on their northern flank to the southwest of Dukla pass.

BEATS FATHER TIME

Mrs. Mary King, seventy-four years old, of Eaton, Colo., says she has found how to beat Father Time—with a motorcycle. A month ago Mrs. King took her first ride on the tandem seat of a motorcycle. Since then she has taken a spin almost every day and says she feels years younger than she did a month ago. She declares her intention of learning to drive the machine herself.

HELPS PRESERVE LAW

A firm stand against law violators has been taken by the Maryland Motorcycle club of Baltimore. "The few reckless drivers" declares the club officials, "do no more injury to the sport than the vast majority of careful motorcycleists can overcome in many months." The Maryland club has therefore offered to co-operate with the authorities in every possible way in apprehending the speeder and careless driver.

GIRLS TOUR WEST

A motorcycle pleasure trip through the west has just been completed by two Milwaukee, Wis., girl riders, Miss Lillian Howards and Miss Ernestine Lannenberg. These girls made the trip through the western states on a motorcycle with sidecar, taking turns in driving the outfit. They report very little trouble in negotiating the roads over which they passed.

STRICKEN WITH SHOCK

MRS. FLOSSIE OUELLETTE PARALYZED ON ONE SIDE—FOUND HELPLESS IN HER HOME

Mrs. Flossie Ouellette, the world's heaviest woman, who resides in Ward street, this city, is confined to her home, suffering with a severe paralytic shock, which she suffered a few days



MRS. FLOSSIE OUELLETTE

ago, and it is feared on account of her weight, something in the vicinity of 250 pounds, that the shock will have fatal results.

Mrs. Ouellette had made arrangements to leave Lowell on May 15 for Chicago, Ill., where she intended staying during the summer months, but her sudden illness has upset her plans. Mrs. Ouellette was stricken a few days ago, her right side becoming paralyzed. She was alone in her home at the time, and she fell to the floor. Some hours later she was found by neighbors.

It required the combined efforts of four men and two women to lift the woman from the floor and remove her to her bed and at that a specially prepared paraphernalia with ropes for the occasion had to be used. It was reported today that Mrs. Ouellette is resting comfortably.

TO JOIN PRIESTHOOD

RAYMOND BLAIS TAKES MINOR ORDERS AT BALTIMORE, MD.—WILL BE ORDAINED CHRISTMAS

The many Lowell friends of Raymond Blais of Winoski, Vt., and formerly of this city, will be pleased to learn he received the order of deacon at St. Mary's seminary, Baltimore, Md., Saturday.

The young man is favorably known in this city, he being a former pupil of St. Joseph's college. When the alumni of this school was formed three or four years ago, Mr. Blais was among the speakers at the banquet. He is studying for the priesthood and will be ordained at Christmas. Mr. Blais is a nephew of Dr. George E. Calise and W. F. Calise, Jr., the former a member of the school committee of this city.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

FRIENDS CAN'T BE FOUND

LYNN POLICE ARE UNABLE TO LOCATE RELATIVES OF EUGENE A. FROST

The Lynn police have been unable to learn anything relative to Eugene A. Frost, the young man who was found on a local street in a demented condition and removed to the Chelmsford street hospital. After receiving a let-

ter from Supt. Welch, Chief Burckes of the Lynn department conducted a search in that city, but as yet has not found any of Frost's friends. Where he had been employed as an engineer could not be learned. The statement of the man that he was recently married in Lynn was also investigated, but the books at the city clerk's office showed no record of the marriage. Unless Frost is soon taken from the Chelmsford street hospital by friends, he will probably be committed to the state hospital in Worcester.

AGED TRAPPER RETURNS

CHARLES LIRETTE BACK FROM ALBERTA, WHERE HE SPENT THE WINTER

Charles Lirette, the old Lowell trapper, has returned from a hunting trip in the wilderness of Canada, and as usual his trip was very successful, but on account of the war he had considerable difficulty of disposing of his furs. He is 70 years old and intends to return to the woods in the winter as long as he lives.

Mr. Lirette, who resides in Perkins street, left Lowell last August and went to Canada, where he met his son, Charles, Jr. The father and son then entered the woods at Alberta and remained there until a couple of weeks ago. In the course of their long stay in the woods the two men trapped a large number of valuable lynx, foxes and other wild animals.

STRIKE CLOSES 5 MILLS

5000 OPERATIVES THROWN OUT OF WORK BY CLOSING OF FALL RIVER IRON WORKS CO. MILLS

FALL RIVER, May 5.—Five of the seven mills of the Fall River Iron Works Co. were shut down this afternoon partly as a result of the western strike there. The shutdown will affect 5000 to 5500 operatives and means a wage loss weekly of approximately \$30,000.

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WOMAN WAS POISONED

SWALLOWED IODINE USED FOR TOOTHACHE—IS NOW AT HOSPITAL

Sadie Waterhouse, aged 21 years, was found unconscious in her room in the Weston house at 65 Brookings street about 4:15 o'clock this morning, suffering from the effects of a dose of iodine which she took during the night. It was reported this forenoon at St. John's hospital, where she was taken in the ambulance, that she was resting as comfortably as could be expected and probably would recover.

Miss Waterhouse, who is employed as a waitress in the Weston house, related last night complaining of a toothache. She took a small bottle of iodine to her room and it is believed that at some time during the night she attempted to relieve her pain by using the medicine. She swallowed a small amount of it, however, and was poisoned.

WAS WASHED OVERBOARD

CARGO OF LUMBER ON STEAMER VANCE LOST—SHIP TOWED INTO PORT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Marine clerks were relieved today when it became known that the steamer Edward P. Vance had arrived during the night in tow of two tugboats which responded to her signals of distress when she was battling with the storm last week.

The Vance was badly damaged and her deckload of lumber was washed overboard.

STUDY OF THE LANGUAGE

NAMES OF MEN OFTEN BECOME PART OF COMMON SPEECH—GET A DICTIONARY

The study of language shows how the names of men often become a part of common speech. For instance, our word "dunce" comes from Duns Scotus, one of the most illustrious teachers of the Franciscan order. In his time the logical controversy was long and fierce. His opponents on hearing an argument from one of his school, would say contemptuously, "Oh, you are a Duns man," or, more briefly, "You are a Dunce." Finally, the word came to mean a dull, ignorant person—and to be spelled "dunce." We get "nitelene," the alkaloid derived from tobacco, from Nicot, a famous French physician who introduced the tobacco plant into Europe. The words "macintosh," "dolly," "brugham," "hansom," "mesmerism," "macadam" and "boycott"—were originally the names of the men who first invented or used the objects or actions described by them. Galvani, an Italian, first called attention to animal electricity, which is sometimes called "galvanism." Another Italian, Volta, gives his name to volt now in common use.

"Atlas," now a geography, was once the demigod who supported our world on his shoulders. From Homer's "Stentor," we have "stentorian" loud-voiced; from his "Hector," who was somewhat of a bully, we have the verb "to hector." A famous patriotic French minister of finance, M. de Silhouette, sought to curb the extravagance of the government, and so his name was given to the cheap black outline portrait we now know so well.

This list might be extended indefinitely, as our language is rich in man-made words.

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SUN FEATURES THURSDAY

Interesting Political Review by "The Spellbinder"—Other Departments by Sun Readers

The Spellbinder will discuss the recent meeting of the municipal council and other municipal matters of interest.

Valuable information concerning the bringing up of children will be given in "Your Boys and Girls" tomorrow. This will prove of interest to mothers.

"Auntie's New Boudoir" is the topic of the contribution to the Sun by "The French Maid." "In Mithy's Boudoir" will tell of the "art of smiling." "The Brown and Green Fairies" will prove a delightful story for the little ones.

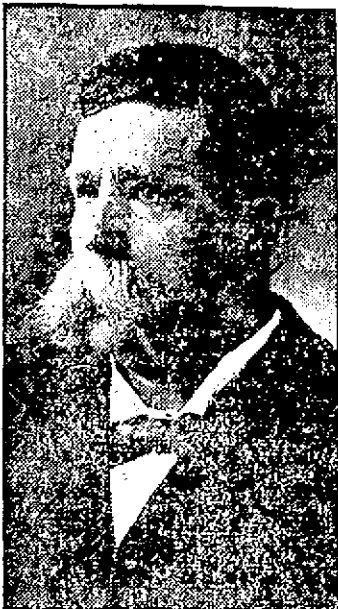
SUIT AGAINST N. Y. CENTRAL

NEW YORK, May 5.—Suit to restrain the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad company from proceeding with its issue of \$100,000,000 6 percent, 20-year debenture bonds, which began May 1, was filed yesterday by James Pollitz, a stockholder.

DRACUT

The selectmen of Dracut gave the residents of Collinsville a hearing on their petition asking that a license to open Lakeview park on Sundays be refused the Bay State Street Railway Co. until the said company agrees to issue transfers on the Lakeview avenue line as far as Mammoth road, and after hearing the pro and con, the selectmen took the matter under advisement.

About 75 attended the hearing and a large number spoke in favor of the petition. A small number opposed the petition, saying they were in favor of using more conciliatory methods, but the petitioners insisted that the Sunday privileges at Lakeview park be done away with unless the company issues the transfers. Another matter brought to the attention of the selectmen was a request that a telephone be installed at the home of Police Officer Cullinan at Collinsville at the expense of the town, but Selectmen Cluff informed the petitioners that there was no appropriation for such an expense and accordingly the demand could not be granted.



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THE NEW CEMETERY COMMISSION APPOINTED BY MAYOR MURPHY

LECTURE ON SOCIALISM

Rev. Fr. Strauss, O. M. I., Before C. M. A. C.—Revival of Christianity Only Cure for Social Ills

The last in a series of lectures at the C. M. A. C. hall for this season was given last night by Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., professor of theology at the Oblate seminary, "Twinsbury," when the learned clergyman delivered a lengthy address on "Socialism." The lecture was given following the regular business meeting of the C. M. A. C. and was largely attended. The distinguished lecturer was accompanied to the hall by Rev. Bernard J. McKenna, O. M. I., assistant provincial of the Oblate order and superior of the novitiate, Rev. Dr. J. H. Baerle, O. M. I., pastor of St. Joseph's, and Rev. Joseph Bolduc, O. M. I., chaplain of the association.

The business meeting was held at 7:30 o'clock and was of short duration. President Arthur St. Hilaire occupied the chair and 32 new members were initiated, this being the largest class for a long time. Routine business was transacted, and it was decided by the literary committee to suspend lectures until the fall.

Prior to the lecture by Rev. Fr. Strauss, the other clergymen present also addressed the gathering and their remarks on topics of the day were well received. At the close of the evening a rising vote of thanks was extended to the lecturer as well as the visiting clergymen.

Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., was introduced by President St. Hilaire and his address was a treat to the large gathering. The speaker spoke eloquently on the important subject, "Socialism," and his address was listened to with great interest. His lecture was in part as follows:

"What, then, is socialism? What do socialists intend to do, once they have dissolved the present order of society, once they have destroyed the old social fabric? They mean, my dear friends, to reconstruct, to reorganize society, on the basis of a common ownership of the means and instruments of production.

"Where the socialistic regime established, private capital would be abolished and all the means of production—that is, the land of a country, and its buildings, ships, machines, rails, etc.—would belong to the community at large, instead of belonging, as they now mainly do, to private citizens and private corporations.

"This is how the socialists argue: The one sole cause of all the difficulties, with which labor has to contend, is free competition in production. Take away competition and the labor question is solved. The only way to get rid of competitors is to have but one producer.

"The only way to have but one producer is to make all the means of production absolutely common property.

"But it may be asked: Would there be any private ownership at all in the socialist state? Doubtless there would be; for there is no reason why a man, even under such conditions, should not own a great quantity of things for his own private enjoyment. The only thing that would be denied to private ownership would be something commonly used or usable as a means of production.

"Again it may be asked: Is socialism merely a question of economics? Has it to do with morals?

"To this I answer that socialism, authorities from Marx and Engels down to the present day teach that all institutions of whatever nature, religious, moral, intellectual, civil, etc., are but results of economic structure. Hence the economic change influences change in the other departments of human activity. Socialism, therefore, which advocates economic revolution, must necessarily imply religious and moral revolution as well. Indeed, Mr. Ernest Bly, one of the most brilliant of European socialists, says: 'As a matter of fact the modern marriage and the modern family is sustained by the modern system of property, and when the latter gives place to something else, so must the former.'

"So far, we have been trying to learn the exact nature of socialism; it is now time that we examine its claims. Can the economic change, which the party advocates, be viewed with favor? I make bold to answer that it

cannot. With your kind indulgence, my dear friends, I will state and explain the reasons which have led me to this conclusion.

"First of all, the co-operative commonwealth, as it is called, would be destructive of individual freedom. No man under the socialist state would be what we call free.

"Social advancement demands competition. That rivalry is one of the most powerful factors in economic progress can scarcely be gainsaid. Does not history tell us that the most useful inventions and the most useful enterprises are to be credited not to the action of public authority but to private genius and private initiative, constantly on the alert, because pricked by the stimulus of competition.

"But social progress demands more than competition; it demands that human labor be free and redound to the personal interest of the worker. Unless such be the case, human labor will not attain that maximum degree of productivity, which is essential to social advance. Whatever is done spontaneously and for personal gain is always well done, whilst work lacking the spur of personal interest and performed under constraint is usually of a less productive nature.

"Does not our knowledge of human nature bear out the assertion that the vast majority of men are led to obey the great law of work, mainly by the hope of amazing wealth and transmitting to their offspring a goodly inheritance? And does not history attest that slave-labor in the palmy days of Rome and Athens was sadly wanting in productivity?

"Now, under socialistic conditions, competition among private producers would be superseded by state monopoly in every branch of human activity. Indeed it is precisely to stop all rivalry that the socialists advocate the common ownership of all the means of production.

"The social question, according to the great pontiff, Leo XIII, is both economic and moral, since the causes of existing evils are partly industrial and partly moral. No remedy, then, can prove adequate, unless it be of this dual nature; it must add to social reform the revival of Christianity among all classes of society. Yes, social reform is sadly needed today. We must untangle this banner without the slightest delay. We must strive to ameliorate the condition of the poor to such an extent that even the lowest of the laboring classes may enjoy a family life worthy of a human being. To this end, we must demand that he receive sufficient wages; that sufficient regard be had for his life and health; that he be treated not only with fairness but also with love and consideration; and finally that he be given the assurance that in time of misfortune or ill-health he will not be abandoned or cast into the street.

"This revival of Christianity, however, must not be confined to the laborer; it must extend also to the higher and more influential classes of society. Can the rich afford to preach economy and self-denial to the poor if they indulge in the most extravagant luxury and dissipation? Only when the wealthy come to the conclusion that they have not only rights but duties of charity; only when they bear in mind that they have been appointed by God, as it were, the administrators of their earthly possessions, which should in some way serve for the benefit of all; only when they remember that the laborer is not a mere chattel, but a rational being, their brother in Christ, who, in the eyes of God, is equal to the richest and most powerful on earth; then, and only then, will the social question meet with an adequate solution."

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NEW YORK, May 5.—The worth of a woman's hair was fixed yesterday at \$20,000 by a jury in the supreme court, which awarded that sum to 16-year-old Mary Haynes of Brooklyn, in her suit against the Coke & Cobb company, dye makers, by whom she was formerly employed. Miss Haynes' hair was pulled out by the roots in an accident in the defendant's factory. Physicians testified that it would never grow out again.

CHARGE OF ESPIONAGE

SWOBODA MAKES DENIAL—SAYS HE KNOWS OF WAR PLANS BY READING GERMAN PAPERS

PARIS, May 5.—A vigorous defense against the charge of espionage preferred against him was made by Raymond Swoboda when he was examined yesterday by Major Julien of the Paris permanent court-martial, says the Petit Journal.

In an effort to prove his assertion that he really had important business deals on hand he gave the name of a person who loaned him 2500 francs, knowing that he was about to realize handsome profits.

Referring to the charges of espionage, Swoboda declared the remarks he made before the war began did not show he was aware of Germany's military plans. He asserted that anyone who read German newspapers and pamphlets would have gained the conviction that Europe was on the verge of hostilities.

The prisoner insisted that his name was Swoboda, but admitted that he occasionally had been known as Schwind.

DENUEDE OF TROOPS

HEAVY ARTILLERY ALSO REMOVED FROM ADRIANOPLE, SAYS REPORT FROM SOFIA

LONDON, May 5.—Adrianople has been almost denuded of troops while all heavy artillery has been removed from the city, says a dispatch to the Times from Sofia. A large part of the troops that were sent to the Gallipoli peninsula have been recalled in haste and sent to Kirk Kiliseh, 32 miles northeast of Adrianople and to Odina on the Black sea.

The Turkish government has reconsidered its decision to suspend railway service to Edirne in the fear that such suspension might be made by Bulgaria a pretext to seize the railway. One train daily will be operated to Dedagatch.

WON FIRST PRIZE

Mr. Paul Vernon Ingalls of this city has been awarded first prize in the annual essay contest of the Boston Chapter of the American Institute of Banking. The essays were judged by Professor S. C. Hersey of Harvard university and two prominent Boston bankers. This is the second time the highest honor has come to Lowell. Mr. Albert A. Lawton of the Union National bank having won the prize two years ago. Mr. Ingalls is connected with the Appleton National bank of this city.

OLDEST IN NEW ENGLAND

Mrs. Mary D. Stackpole Died at Her Home in Waltham, N. H., After a Short Illness

WOLFORD, N. H., May 5.—Mrs. Mary D. Stackpole, the oldest person in New England, died at her home here yesterday after a short illness, aged 105 years, 3 months and 13 days.

Mrs. Stackpole retained her faculties up to her death.

HISTORIC TREE STUMPS GONE

BOSTON, May 5.—The stumps and roots of the two giant ash trees that bore silent witness of the battle of Lexington on April 19, 1775, from where they stood in front of the historic Mattrell and Nathan Munnings house on Massachusetts avenue, Lexington, opposite the Lexington battle green, were finally removed yesterday, but only after five days of hard laboring by half a dozen men with picks, shovels, axes and considerable dynamite. The larger tree measured seven feet in diameter, and the other was five feet and three inches through.

ANSWER OF AUSTRIA

ITALY HAS REQUESTED A CLEAR STATEMENT OF AUSTRIA'S INTENTIONS

ROME, May 5.—The meeting of the cabinet which was to have been held yesterday has been postponed until this afternoon. A semi-official note says the ministers will consider the question of resuming parliamentary work.

The excitement caused by the abandonment by King Victor Emmanuel and the ministers of their proposed trip to Quirio Sanfilippo has subsided in parliamentary circles, where it is believed there has been no essential modification of the situation. Conversations between Italy and Austria, it is reported, are being continued.

Foreign Minister Sonnino received calls yesterday afternoon from the British and French ambassadors and the secretary of the Russian embassy. Count Goluchowski, who is coming to Rome on a special mission from the Austrian government is expected tomorrow. He will be received by the king and Baron Sonnino. He is supposed to be bringing the answer of Austria to the reported request of Italy made through Prince Von Buelow that Austria make a clear statement of its intentions. If this answer is considered unsatisfactory, it is believed the Salandra ministry will take the position that it has availed itself without result of every possible means of averting war.

COURT ARCHIVES BURNED

FIRE IN PALACE OF JUSTICE AT MADRID—CHURCH OF SANTA BARBARA BADLY DAMAGED

MADRID, May 5.—The court archives stored in the palace of justice were destroyed by the fire which broke out last evening. The flames have been brought under control, but probably will smolder for a week, according to the chief of the fire department. Not only did the water supply fail but the firemen lacked adequate apparatus with which to make their fight.

The church of Santa Barbara, adjoining the palace of justice, was badly damaged, but the portion containing the tomb of Ferdinand VI of Braganza was saved.



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NEWS FROM CITY HALL AND DEPARTMENT WORK

Laforest Beals of the E. A. Wilson Co., called on Mayor Murphy this morning to discuss the rejection of the E. A. Wilson contract for 500 barrels of Saylor Portland cement at \$1.55 a barrel.

Mr. Beals said that an injustice had been done the E. A. Wilson Co. and that the company does not intend to stand for it. He called attention to the fact that Mr. Morse had called for Saylor cement in his specifications and as a result of the contract having been awarded the E. A. Wilson company, the purchasing agent, the company had ordered the cement and that it is now on the way.

Mr. Beals said he was aware of the fact that all contracts had to be ap-
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TORPEDOING OF U. S. SHIP

Gulflight Was Flying "a Large American Flag" and Was At- tacked "Without Warning"

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The American steamer Gulflight was flying "a large American flag" and was torpedoed "without warning" by a submarine whose nationality is not yet established, according to a cablegram received by Secretary Bryan today signed by Chief Officer Smith and Consular Agent Banfield.

American Ambassador Page reported that Lieut. John H. Towers, one of the naval attaches of the American embassy at London and Naval Constructor or Mr. B. E. Smith, who is in charge of the British admiralty. He also ordered the American consul at Plymouth to take depositions from the officers and crew of the Gulflight.

The statement received by the state department from Chief Officer Smith was cabled originally to the owners of the vessel, the Gulf Refining Co., who telegraphed it here today.

The statement of the first officer of the Gulflight and Consul Banfield as made public by Secretary Bryan follows:

"On Saturday heavy weather 15 miles west of Bishop, flying large American ensign following British patrolboats to Bishop, was torpedoed without warning. Subma-

THE TENT CATERPILLAR

If there are any unsightly nests or tents of the tent caterpillar on or about your premises it is up to you to get rid of them either by personal endeavor or by calling to your assistance Chief Gordon of the moth department. Some tent caterpillars have been found at Fort Hill park and they will be attended to by the park department. The tent caterpillars feed principally on wild cherry and apple trees, but will attack many other plants. They construct the tents for their protection, and these, at first small, are gradually enlarged often to a foot or more in height and diameter, the size varying with the number of individuals in the colony.

The caterpillars feed upon the foliage of the trees, stripping the leaves from the limbs adjacent to the nest, and if there be several colonies in a tree, as is frequently the case during periods of abundance, the foliage may be quite destroyed, leaving the branches as bare as in mid-winter.

When in convenient reach the nests may be torn down with a brush, with gloved hand, or otherwise, and the larvae crushed on the ground, care being taken to destroy any caterpillars which may have remained on the tree. The caterpillars are readily destroyed by arsenicals sprayed on the foliage of trees infested by them. In spraying for the tent caterpillar only, Chief Gordon says, applications should be made when the caterpillars are yet small, as these succumb more quickly to poisons than those more nearly full grown, and prompt treatment stops further defoliation of the trees.

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GERMAN VICTORIES IN THE EAST AND WEST

A despatch from Mytilene to the Hava agency at Paris says that a regiment of Turkish troops was annihilated during fighting at the Dardanelles last night and that the allies transported 1000 more prisoners to Tenedos and Mudros. The despatch also says that a squadron of warships of the allies again bombarded forts at the Dardanelles and Turkish encampments on the coast.

German Victories

Further striking victories by the Austro-German forces in the east were announced today by the Berlin war office. It is also stated that successes were won in France and Belgium. This report, together with the events of the last few days make it appear that the Teutonic allies have entered into offensive operations on both the eastern and western fronts such as have seldom been undertaken simultaneously since the war began.

Important Victory in Galicia

It is in Galicia that the most important victory is claimed. Following the successes of the last few days the Austro-German attack was extended further to the east into the heart of the wooded Carpathian section where the Russians have been struggling for months to break through into Hungary. The German announcement says the third fortified line of the Russians was pierced and that they were defeated along the entire front.

German Attacks at Ypres

In France and Belgium several German attacks are reported to have been made successfully. The official French statement dismisses the situation in Belgium with the statement that an attack on the British was repulsed.

Nine Trawlers Torpedoed

Nine trawlers were torpedoed by German submarines in the waters off England on Monday. In each instance the crew escaped.

Three British Ships Lost

A German submarine has sunk three more British ships, all trawlers. The crews were brought in safely to Hull, but it is feared other vessels were lost as the Germans are said to have opened fire on fishing ships with rifles and artillery.

Russian Front Broken Down

The correspondent of a Berlin newspaper telegraphs that the Austro-German victory in western Galicia broke down the Russian front for a distance of 24 miles and that the Russians abandoned not only their first line but also the villages back of the front which served as quarters. Only in Gorlice did the Russians make a stand. This town was destroyed by an artillery bombardment and a bitter street fight preceded its capture by the Germans.

All the staff officers of one Russian division were killed or wounded, including several generals. The majority of prisoners wore military caps but

DEATH OF CAPT. GUNTER

DUE TO HEART FAILURE ACCELERATED BY SHOCK CAUSED BY TORPEDOING OF SHIP

PENANCE, England, May 5.—At the inquest today into the death of Captain Alfred Gunter of the American oil tank steamship Gulflight, which was torpedoed May 1 off the Scilly Islands, the verdict reached was "heart failure accelerated by shock caused by the torpedoing of the ship."

Evidence given at the inquest showed that the Gulflight was flying a very large American flag at the time she was torpedoed.

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JAPANESE ULTIMATUM TO CHINA GRANTS DELAY

LONDON, May 5.—"A Japanese ultimatum to China" cables the Tokyo correspondent of the Central News, "grants a delay of 48 hours."

PEKING, China, May 5.—A Japanese cruiser and four torpedo boats destroyers have arrived at Chin-Wang-Tao on the Gulf of Liao-Tung, about 150 miles east of Peking, evidently for the purpose of removing from China the members of the Japanese legation.

Consular reports from all parts of the country announce the departure of Japanese or of their concentration at the Japanese consulate.

There is a substantial opinion in Peking that Japan may take action in regard to the non-acceptance of her demands by China without waiting upon the issuance of an ultimatum.

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CLAIMS MRS. BAILEY WAS KILLED IN THE DAYTIME

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 5.—District Attorney Smith lost no time today in placing on the stand the state's new witnesses in the second trial of Mrs. Florence C. Carman on the charge of slaying Mrs. Louise Bailey at Dr. Carman's office in Freeport, June 30 last.

Mrs. May 1. Black, the first of these witnesses, testified that while sitting on her porch just east of the Carman home she heard the sound of an explosion and falling glass. She walked, soon afterwards, with her daughter Ruth out on her lawn and stood opposite the window of Dr. Carman's office. She saw a man—one she could not identify—outside the house at the window. She did not see anyone run from the grounds. The man went leisurely to the front of the house and out of her view.

It was shortly before eight o'clock and daylight in the evening of June 30, Mrs. Black said. The admission of this evidence was fought by Mrs. Carman's lawyers who contend that the shooting occurred after nightfall and that the assailant escaped in the dark. Walter Ozons, clerk of the Freeport police station, testified that it was nine o'clock when Dr. Carman called him on the telephone and notified him of the shooting.

District Attorney Smith expected to present his entire case today.

Mrs. Black was corroborated by her daughter Ruth.

The prosecution's next two witnesses, Archie Post and George Golder of Freeport, called at Dr. Carman's office that night, testified, however, that they thought it was after nightfall when the shooting occurred. Post said he thought the street lights were burning and Golder thought it was moonlight. They went outside the office after the shooting.

CELIA COLEMAN TO TESTIFY

MINEOLA, N. Y., May 5.—Celia Coleman, the negro maid who was the principal witness against Mrs. Florence Carman in her first trial for the murder last June of Mrs. Louise D. Bailey was ready to testify in Mrs. Carman's second trial today.

The defense awaited the production of the new witness by whom the prosecution hoped to prove that Mrs. Bailey was killed in daylight instead of after dark as has been contended in the first trial. This was the only new feature promised by the state.

Evening sessions of the court may be ordered so that the trial may be ended by Saturday. The district attorney did not expect to conclude the evidence for the prosecution today.

U. S. REPLY TO GERMANY

BERLIN, May 5.—The reply of the American government to the explanatory communication of the German foreign office regarding the sinking of the American steamer William E. Frye, by a German torpedo boat was presented to the German government today by Ambassador Gerard. It follows:

"In reply to your note of the fifth of April to the government of the United States admitting the liability of the imperial German government for the damages resulting from the sinking of the American sailing vessel William E. Frye by the German auxiliary cruiser Emden Friedrich on January 28 last, I have the honor to say in direction of my government that while the promptness with which the imperial German government has admitted its liability is highly appreciated, my government feels that it would be inappropriate in the circumstances of this case and would involve unnecessary delay to adopt the suggestion in your note—that the legality of the capture and destruction, the standing of the claimants, and the amount of indemnity should be submitted to a prize court."

"Unquestionably the destruction of this vessel was a violation of the limitations imposed upon the Imperial German government under existing treaty stipulations between the United States and Prussia, and the United States government by virtue of its treaty rights has presented to the Imperial German government a claim for indemnity on account of the resulting damages suffered by American citizens."

"The liability of the Imperial German government and the standing of the claimants of American citizens and the amount of indemnity are all questions which lend themselves to diplomatic negotiations between the two governments and happily the question of liability has already been settled in that way. The status of the claimants and the amount of indemnity are the only questions remaining to be settled and it is appropriate that they should be dealt with in the same way."

"The government of the United States fully understands that, as stated in your excellency's note, the German government is liable under the treaty provisions above mentioned for the damages arising from the destruction of the cargo as well as from the destruction of the vessel. But it will be observed that the claim under discussion is a claim for the cargo."

FINGER PRINT SYSTEM

LEADS TO IDENTIFICATION OF JOHN SMITH, ALIAS TEELON, OF LAWRENCE

The finger print system in vogue at the local police station, as well as at many other stations throughout the state, has solved another mystery and established the identity of the man arrested Monday by Lieut. Maher, who gave his name and address as John Smith, South Boston. The prisoner is Patrick Teelon, aged 35 years, of Lawrence, who has a long record, according to the Lawrence police, and H. C. Hill of the prison commission office in Boston. He is charged with the larceny of two pairs of shoes.

At the time of his arrest, Teelon was cross-examined by Lieut. Maher and Supt. Welch in regard to his right name but he vehemently claimed that it was John Smith. In court yesterday he was promptly asked his proper name and promptly responded "John Smith." John Smith was then called to the front and after taking the prints of the man's fingers sent them to the office in Boston.

This afternoon a reply was received giving a complete record of the prisoner. Though he gave his age to the local police as 29 he is registered as 35. He has appeared in the Lawrence police court 57 times for drunkenness, once for assault and battery, once for malicious mischief and once for stealing a horse and wagon. He was also sentenced in Manchester, N. H., after being found guilty of breaking and entering and larceny. In Manchester Teelon gave the name of Fred Taylor.

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DEATHS

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MURDER AND SUICIDE

Sophie Leavitt's Letter Leads to Double Tragedy at Wakefield—Girl Weeps at Lover's Bier

WAKEFIELD, May 5.—It was with hysterical weeping that Sophie Leavitt, the 18-year-old Wakefield High school girl, watched yesterday the burial of her young uncle and lover, Morris N. Shrumppman, who Monday killed his sister, Mrs. Bertha Krauser, and then shot himself.

For it was the letter that the girl had written her uncle-sweetheart, only five years older than herself, that brought about the double tragedy, the letter in which she explained that while he was in duty bound to keep and care for his unhappy sister, she could never come into the house with the outcast woman.

Only yesterday became known the marriage plans of Shrumppman and Miss Leavitt. On Dec. 1 last he had secured a marriage license from Town Clerk Frederic S. Harshorne, but, subsequently learning that the laws of Massachusetts forbid marriage between uncle and niece, he returned to his home in Wakefield.

In a neighboring state, however, such a marriage is valid, and there the young couple planned to be wed next July, after the girl had completed her high school course. So she told the authorities today.

Then came the release of Mrs. Krauser after her sentence in the house of correction. Her sister in Wakefield, Mrs. Sara Leavitt, Sophie's mother, would have none of her, for by her strict religious and moral views, the woman was disgraced beyond redemption. But her brother Morris was less severe, and he accepted Bertha in his Greenwood home.

Only then it seems, did he learn that his action had wrecked his marriage plans, and it is probable that he proposed to change front and banish Bertha to her sister's home. But Sophie would have none of that, either.

She herself, she wrote in the letter of April 29, would do nothing for Bertha. "As long as she will live, I cannot and will not forgive her."

With Morris, however, it was different. "As you yourself have stated that you personally have nothing against her, that you could forgive her, I do not see why on account of me a human being should fail to ruin. Why should you do all you can for her. It certainly is your duty."

And again:

"If just for the sake of me you were to turn her out of the house, then there would be only one way left for her to do, and that is to die. I would not want to live long enough to hear upon my conscience murder. Therefore, Morris please don't do it for me."

"As long as she is already there and is sick and broken, you cannot turn her out, and it would be most inhuman of you to do it. My last words are, do for her as much as you can. Let not love rise above duty."

That is the real meaning of the much-discussed letter. In it Shrumppman evidently saw the end of all his hopes and, after brooding over it for some days, could find no way out but by killing his sister and himself.

So today whatever mystery had lingered about the case was cleared up. An autopsy, performed on the bodies by Medical Examiner Roscoe D. Perley of Melrose, revealed that Mrs. Krauser had been murdered by the use of a revolver and three bullet wounds pierced the left side of her head. This discovery contradicted the former belief of the authorities that the woman had been killed with a shotgun found in the bedroom.

One bullet was found to have pierced Shrumppman's head and the medical examiner believed his death was almost instantaneous. The fact that only one exploded cartridge indicates that after Shrumppman fired three shots at his sister he reloaded the weapon and took his own life.

Medical Examiner Perley stated that he would report his finding to the district attorney as murder and suicide.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

IN MILADY'S BOUDOIR

BY GWEN SEARS

THE MORNING TOILETTE

A woman should no more appear before a member of her family in a bristling, unconcealed array of curl papers than she should answer the front door bell in her bathrobe. Almost without exception milady's hair must be waved, but she should conceal the little instruments that bring about this result.

The petite French woman whom tradition always quotes as being the daintiest of all women in her boudoir, carefully conceals her artificial hair waving under a mass of lace and ruffles. Sometimes her cap takes the shape of a scarf, which falls daintily over her morning negligee.

Many French women are known to employ the coquettish method of pinning false curls and even braids on their heads, and allowing these adornments to peek out from beneath the frill of the breakfast caps. When appearance please, the man member of the family is usually satisfied, and does not seek to divine the method.

If milady prefers wearing a smart morning dress, of the gingham variety, which will aid her in doing her household duties quickly, she might choose a cap of the quaint Dutch style, which is becoming to any face. The curlers which have proven themselves such a nuisance in the early morning hours but so effective in their purpose later in the day, can surely find a way to be less obtrusive during the breakfast time.

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THE POLITICAL CALENDAR

DATES OF PRIMARY AND OTHER ELECTIONS—STATE ELECTION ON NOVEMBER 2

In order to dispense with a portion of the enormous amount of work that falls on the secretary's office due to lack of knowledge of the people on election laws, Secretary of State Albert P. Langry has issued to the city and town clerks, ward and town committees and members of the legislature a political calendar giving important dates and necessary information in a condensed form.

The calendar follows:

July 24, 21, August 7, 14—Primary nomination papers may be presented for certification in all cities and towns of the state, excepting Boston.

August 14—Last day for filing primary nomination papers for certification of names with the registrars of voters.

August 17, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing withdrawals or objections to nominations with the secretary of the commonwealth.

August 20, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing primary nomination papers with the secretary of the commonwealth.

August 24, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing vacancies caused by withdrawal.

Sept. 2—Last day for filing applications for submission to voters at the state election of questions of public policy.

September 21—State primaries.

September 28—Earliest day for holding conventions of political parties.

October 2—Last day for holding conventions of non political parties for the nomination of candidates to be voted for at large.

October 5—Last day for holding conventions of political parties.

October 11—Last day for holding conventions of non political parties for the nomination of candidates to be voted for by districts.

October 11, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing nomination papers of candidates.

October 11, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing written acceptance by candidates to be voted for at large whose names were not printed on the primary ballots.

October 14, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing written acceptance by candidates to be voted for by districts, whose names were not printed on the primary ballots.

October 14, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing withdrawals or objections to nominations of candidates.

October 15, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing vacancies caused by withdrawals.

November 2—State election.

Corrupt Practices in Elections

October 13—Earliest day for filing with the secretary of the commonwealth returns of expenses for nomination, for an office to be voted for at large.

October 15—Earliest day for filing returns of candidates for all other offices.

October 12, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing returns of candidates for all other offices.

November 2—Earliest day for filing returns of expenses of candidates for election.

November 5, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing such returns.

November 3—Earliest day for filing detailed statement with the clerk of the city or town, in which the treasurer is a voter, and a duplicate with the secretary of the commonwealth.

December 2, 5 p. m.—Last day and hour for filing such statement.

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Combinations daintily trimmed with organdie, medallions and embroidery combined with lace front and back. Special at... **69c**

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Combinations, embroidery trimmed corset cover with drawer or skirt to match. Regular \$1.00 value. Special at... **69c**

Combinations, trimmed front and back with organdie medallions and embroidery combined with lace with drawer and skirt to match. Regular \$1.25 value. Special at... **69c**

Combinations of crepe de chine in white and flesh color. Special at... **\$2.98**

20 New Styles of Combinations, daintily trimmed with shadow lace, with organdie medallions combined with embroideries. Regular \$1.98 value. Special at... **98c**

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Chemise trimmed with assorted laces and embroideries. Special at **49c**

Envelope Chemise daintily trimmed with laces and embroideries. Regular \$1 values. Special at **69c**

25 New Styles of Envelope Chemise, made Empire and Camisole style; trimmed with val lace and embroideries. Regular \$1.98 value. Special at **98c**

Envelope Chemise of crepe de chine in white and flesh color. Special at **\$1.98**

GOWNS

Gowns, open front, trimmed with embroideries, combined with lace or solid embroidery. Regular \$1.25 value. Special at... **69c**

Gowns, chemise style, trimmed with lace combined with embroideries. Regular \$1.25 value. Special at... **69c**

Crepe Gowns, made Empire style. Regular \$1.00 value... **69c**

Gowns with square neck, deep yoke of val lace and embroidery with ribbon run heading. Special at... **98c**

18 New Style Gowns, made of the finest nainsook, daintily trimmed. Special at... **98c**

Gowns made of best Windsor crepe, Empire style, ribbon trimmed. Special at... **98c**

WHITE PETTICOATS

Long White Petticoats made with straight or circular flounce, embroidery or lace trimmed. Special at... **69c, 98c, \$1.49**

Big Reduction in \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Corsets

SALE STARTS TOMORROW **\$3.00 CORSETS CUT TO \$1.89** SALE STARTS TOMORROW

\$4 CORSETS Cut to \$2.59

You can select your corset from this lot with the assurance that it will fit perfectly and give satisfaction.

\$5 CORSETS Cut to \$3.39

These corsets are well known brands, such as P. N., Nemo, C. B., A la Sprite, all sizes and wanted models.

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"When I go into the kitchen I am almost always distressed by the appearance of the gas stove. I usually work like magic and it is worth trying as the chalk costs but a few cents a pound."

"Great care should be taken that the hands do not come in contact with the lye water. The head should be kept turned away from the vessel when the lye is poured into the water as a strong gas is formed that is very disagreeable to breathe."

"If this is tried once a month the gas range will always be perfectly free from grease of any kind if cleaned in the usual way once a week."

"A stationary tub is preferable for this work as the pipe can be easily pulled without danger of burning the hands with ice water and the parts of the stove can be more easily rinsed."

"Whenever the bright parts of the stove begin to turn black from the heat if the parts are rubbed with a cloth dipped in vinegar, the blackened parts will be restored to brightness."

"If the oven becomes rusty or smells musty when cooking meat, rub the interior with French chalk every two weeks or once a month. This will give it the appearance of an enameled oven."

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To accept wines or alcoholic mixtures as Spring medicine; their false stimulation is followed by greater depression.

Get the pure, non-alcoholic Scott's Emulsion, prescribed in medical practice for forty years—but avoid substitutes.

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In Use For Over 30 Years

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INDUSTRIAL AND STORE NEWS

The Carpenters' union, local 1610, will meet tonight in the union headquarters in the Runnels building.

Eddie Brennan of the National Biscuit Co. uses his Buick roadster on his suburban trips to Newbury.

Several employees of the Massachusetts mills have been laid off temporarily waiting for orders.

Russell Lowe, president of the Parkhill Mfg. Co., of Pittsburgh, has gone to California and will visit the exposition.

The annual meeting of the New York State Knit Goods Manufacturers will be held at the Hotel Utica, Utica, N. Y., on May 12.

The Theatrical Employees will banquet at the Hotel Utica, Utica, N. Y., on May 12.

It is said that the manager of the Springfield Standard is being called a big leaguer, but they didn't play in Nashua a couple of times? It isn't our fault, Pat. Honest!

The Fairmount Campers held their formal opening at their camp at Willow Lake Sunday and the afternoon was very enjoyable. John King of the W. J. Barry Shoe Co. was in charge of the arrangements.

The resignation of F. L. Chapman, superintendent of the Han River mills, Danville, Va., marks the retirement of one of the oldest and most successful men connected with the textile industry.

Bill Heelan, the popular tenor soloist at Perry Cox's shop in East Merrimack street, has dug up a fund of new stories with which he delights Artie O'Neil every afternoon. They do say that the canary bird is the best, but Artie won't admit it.

Luke McCann of the N. E. T. & T.

Co. has purchased a new racy type roadster through his brother who conducts a garage business in this city. Luke will undoubtedly put the car to good use on his out-of-town assignments this summer.

In the mills of Ireland, there are nearly 1,000,000 spindles at work, over \$35,000,000 invested in machinery, etc., and about \$2,000,000 constantly tied up in manufactured goods with \$10,000,000 paid annually to Irish labor workers.

The great Edison is making dyes and making them right so that there is little danger of the shortage that was predicted but a short while ago. His product costs a little more than the German product in normal times, but when conditions face the industry such as now confront it, a few cents a pound is immaterial.

The following transactions in textile shares were recorded at last week's Boston auctions: 1. Lowell-Hartford Carpet Co. preferred at 103 1/2; 2. Praper Co. common at 200; 3. Great Falls Manufacturing Co. at 150; 4. Lorton Mills at 112 1/2; 5. Merrimack Mfg. Co. common at 23 1/4; 6. Pepperell Mfg. Co. at 114 1/2; 7. Soule Mills at 66.

At a meeting of the Four of Clubs held last Sunday it was voted unanimously to tender a banquet to the lady friends of the members on May 15th. The banquet will take place at the Temple club, Willow Lake, where the Mayor of the Merrimack-Hartford Carpet Co. presided at the meeting and John Joyce of the Massachusetts mills, Patrick K. Mulvey of the Lowell-Hartford Carpet Co. and James E. Powers of Boston were appointed on the banquet committee. John Baxter, the well-known tenor, employed at the Massachusetts mills, was appointed chairman of the entertainment committee, and he promises to arrange a program which will afford plenty of enjoyment for all who attend.

FISH AND GAME

Local Association Holds

Meeting - Prominent Men Elected

Millions of small brook trout, rainbow trout, black bass and white perch are being liberated by the agents of the fish and game commission to match their wits against the larger fish and still larger fishermen in the ponds and streams of the state.

The activities of the Lowell Fish and Game Association have brought a goodly number of the fish to Lowell, and the association will see to it that they are properly looked after. The local association met last night and a vote of thanks was passed in recognition of the interest taken in the association by Congressman John Jacob Rogers, Capt. Kerns of the U. S. Fish and Game Commission, and United States Fish Commissioner Dr. H. M. Smith.

A communication was received from the state fish and game commission, in which the local organization was assured of an early supply of small trout, pheasants and mallard ducks. The stocking of snowshoe rabbits cannot be undertaken, however, until next September, as the rabbits cannot be shipped from Maine between April and October.

A committee was appointed to look into the matter of conserving white perch in Lake Massacuppie, where larger fish eat the spawns in shallow water. The committee will not use submersibles, but will attempt to devise a method to prevent the destruction of the spawns.

It was voted to have the executive committee cooperate with Luther W. Faulkner, chief of the local Boy Scouts, for the better protection of birds and game. This is in line with a campaign directed by the American Game Protective and Propagation Association.

A large number of new members were elected at last night's meeting, and the membership now totals 140.

The meeting was presided over by Simon D. Harris, president, and Samuel P. Hadley, former police court judge, in recognition of his interest in the work of the association and the sport, as a whole, was elected an honorary member.

Other members elected last night were as follows: Paul Butler, Tyler A. Stevens, Fred C. Church, J. Harry Boardman, Frederic A. Fisher, George S. Motley, Edward Cawley, Wm. A. Hogan, Henry T. Wheeler, Wm. H. Wilson, Joseph J. Leach, John J. Burns, Thomas Leach, Dr. Charles E. J. Munn, J. Munn, John F. Tinker, Frank J. Collins, Asa W. Strick, James Stuart Murphy, John M. J. Pinneroy and Charles F. Downey and others.

800 Mallard Ducks

The Lowell Fish and Game Association succeeded in having considerably over a million of the 12,000,000 white perch fry to be distributed in the waters of the state, distributed in ponds about Lowell. The story of local distribution has already appeared in The Sun. Before the spring stocking of the brooks and ponds was completed, there will have been distributed several hundred thousand two-inch brook trout fingerlings, 200,000 rainbow trout fry, and thousands of young bass, and the local association will see to it that the brooks and ponds about Lowell will figure in the distribution.

One hundred thousand chicks are being distributed now in open waters. Several hundred were put out during the winter in care of farmers. The number of mallard ducks being sent out is between 700 and 800.

COMMENDED BY DANIELS

SECRETARY OF NAVY PRAISES

SAILORS FOR GALLANTRY—

TAKES STEPS TO OBTAIN MEDAL

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Secretary Daniels has commended Charles Passmore, fireman, first class, and Allan E. Foster, shipfitter, second class, for gallantry in rescuing a fellow shipmate who jumped overboard from the receiving ship dock at the San Francisco training station April 12 last. Mr. Daniels has taken steps to obtain a lifesaving medal for Passmore.

Secretary Daniels also has commended Joe B. Cadenmach, boatswain, mate, second class, William R. Wells, coxswain, Harold S. Fostick, boatswain, mate, first class and Herman M. Abrams, chief electrician, all serving on the cruiser Chattanooga, for rescuing two persons thrown into the water by the upsetting of a shore boat off Corin o, Nicaragua, April 12.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—British embassy officials today anxiously awaited information regarding reports of a renewal of fighting between Villin forces and Carranza troops near Tampico which said that the former had captured Panuca. Meagre advice to that effect had been sent to the state department from Vera Cruz.

The anxiety of embassy officials is due to the fact that Panuca, about 50 miles southwest of Tampico is located in the Mexican oil regions, where there are many British owned wells, which supply British warships with oil. They recall that shell fire in the fighting near Ebanco recently had ignited some of these wells.

DEVASTATING FLEET WORK

WASHINGTON, May 5.—The devastating fleet work, which has again made its appearance in the Pacific northwest, according to reports to the department of agriculture, is particularly destructive to many forms of baiting plants. Once a crop is become infested with these pests there is no known cure.

Heretofore the United States has been almost free from the pest.

STABBED WITH CARVING FORK

BOSTON, May 5.—A fork from a carving set was used to settle an argument yesterday afternoon by Carl Foxworth, 29, of 145 Lenox street, Roxbury, who twice stabbed Samuel Symes, 31, of 25 Windsor street, Roxbury.

Officer Wallace sent Symes to the City hospital and arrested Foxworth on the charge of felonious assault.

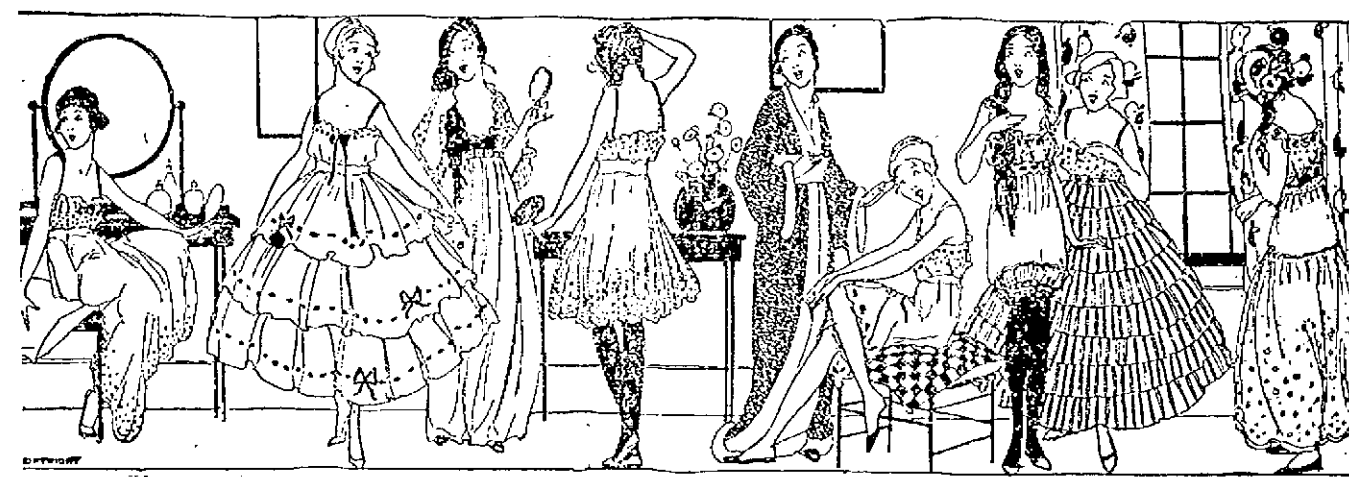
TO HIGHWAY COMMISSION

PORTLAND, Me., May 5.—Frank A. Peabody of Hallowell was appointed member of the state highway commission by Gov. Curtis today.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

A. G. POLLARD CO.

THE STORE FOR THRIFTY PEOPLE



The Annual May Sale of White Wear

Our yearly disposal of liberal quantities of standard qualities and newest styles in UNDERMUSLINS at reduced prices. This event, which commences tomorrow, will for several reasons constitute a record among our May white wear sales.

On the price end of it, many of our manufacturers bought in the raw material market, when the cotton situation was at its lowest ebb—cotton at 7 1-2c as it was several months ago, was a price unknown for years previously.

On the style end of it, the wide skirt fashions have necessitated style changes in underwear and we have taken very good care that these are at their best in the white wear presented in this sale.

So we start the 1915 MAY SALE OF WHITE WEAR TOMORROW with better news than we have been able to publish before as to quantities, variety, styles and prices. See Merrimack Street Window.

Envelope Chemise—Made of fine material, trimmed with dainty lace and embroideries. Regular price 69c. May sale, only 50c Each

Envelope Chemise—Of fine nainsook, trimmed with exquisite embroideries. Regular price \$1. May sale, only 79c Each

Envelope Chemise—Made of fine nainsook or batiste, trimmed with blind embroideries, Val. and fish-eye lace—

\$1.50 value, at \$1.00

\$1.95 value, at \$1.50

\$2.05 value, at \$1.95

Crepe de Chine Envelope Chemise—Made up especially for this May sale. Only \$1.98 Each

Combinations—Crepe, muslin and nainsook, in fancy effects; lace and embroidery and ribbon run. Regular price \$1.50. May sale, only \$1.00 Each

Combinations—Drawers and cover or skirt and cover, made of very fine nainsook, trimmed with beautiful laces and dainty blind embroideries. Regular price \$2.05. May sale, only \$1.98

Night Gowns—Made of fine material, trimmed with dainty embroideries, made in low, high and V neck. Regular price 69c. May sale, only 50c

Gowns—Made of very fine nainsook, crepe and muslin; lace and embroidery trimmed. Regular price \$1.50. May sale only \$1.00

Crepe Gowns—Made of figured crepe or plisse. Regular price \$1.00. May sale, only 59c

On Sale Thursday

A Complete Assortment of Fine Nainsook Gowns in beautiful laces, and embroideries; particularly priced for this May sale, at \$1.98 to \$4.98

Crepe de Chine Gowns—Made in pink and white, heavy quality crepe de chine; made expressly for this May sale, only \$3.98 Each

White Skirts—Circular and straight styles, embroidery and lace trimmed. Regular price \$1.50. May sale, only \$1.00

White Skirts—Circular and straight styles, trimmed with convent edge embroideries, also shadow, Val. and fish-eye laces. Regular price \$2.00. May sale, only \$1.50

Long White Skirts—Made of good material, trimmed with elaborate embroideries. Regular price 79c. May sale, only 50c

Circular and Straight Style Skirts in a large variety of fine embroidery and lace flounces; specially priced for this sale, at \$1.98 to \$4.98

30c Muslin Drawers—Embroidery trimmed, only 25c

50c Drawers—Muslin and nainsook, embroidery trimmed, only 39c

69c Covers—A splendid variety of pretty styles, trimmed with embroideries and laces, only 50c

\$1.50 Covers—Made of fine nainsook and crepe de chine, some with fine lace trimmings and sleeves. May sale, only \$1.00 Each

39c Covers—Made of good material, lace and embroidery trimmed, only 25c

West Section—Second Floor

Special Values in

RUGS, DRAPERIES AND UPHOLSTERINGS

New Fancy Serim, double woven borders, white, cream and Arab, 12 1-2c, 19c, 25c a Yard

Madras Laces, Scotch imported, white and cream, 19c to 89c a Yard

\$2.00 Curtains, \$2.00—Serim and Marquisette with laces, edges and insertion trimmed, 98c to \$1.25 a Pair

Extra large assortment to select from in white, cream and Arabian, \$1.50 to \$3.50 a Pair

East Section

Shirt Waist Boxes, matting covered, in all sizes, from 18x30 to 24x60; these are of best quality made, \$1.98 to \$7.50

Red Cedar Chests for your furs and heavy woolen garments and blankets, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00, \$17.50

Tapestry Portieres Special, \$1.59 a Pair

Tapestries and Verdure, 50 inches wide, for upholstery in all the latest colorings, worth \$2.00 to \$5.00 regular, \$1.25 to \$2.98 a Yard

Second Floor

200-Yard Spools of Clark's Cotton

ONLY 30c DOZEN

A special purchase of 1000 dozen of Clark's "Anchor" Brand Spool Cotton, 2 cord in white and black, numbers 8 to 70, full strength—by test—smooth and clean for machine or hand sewing. Sold only in the box at, only 30c a Doz.

ON SALE TODAY

Palmer St. Basement

Special Footwear on Sale Thursday

135 PAIRS ONLY, OF MEN'S AND BOYS' BASEBALL SHOES with spikes, a good fitting, comfortable last, sizes 5 to 10. Regular price \$3.00. Only \$1.85 a Pair

Palmer Street

PIRBER SOLED OXFORDS AND PUMPS FOR WOMEN in gun metal, tan calf and white buck, sizes 2 1-2 to 7. Regular price \$2.50 and \$3.00. Only \$1.98 a Pair

Basement

UNDERPRICE BASEMENT THURSDAY SPECIALS

FINE GINGHAM—6000 yards of fine dress and staple patterns gingham, large variety of patterns and fast colors; remnants from 2 to 10 yards; 10c value. Thursday Special, 5c Yard

HUCK TOWELING—One case of good bleached huck toweling in remnants; 5c value. Thursday Special, 3 1/2c Yard

HUCK TOWELS—50 dozen of very large huck towels, good and heavy quality; 12 1-2c value. Thursday Special, 10c Each

LADIES' HOSE—100 dozen ladies' hose, black, tan and white; very good quality, full seamless and double soles; seconds of the 12 1-2c quality. Thursday Special, 6 1/4c Pair

READY TO WEAR SECTION

CHILDREN'S DRESSES—50 dozen children's dresses, made of fine gingham in large assortment of styles; sizes 2 to 14 years; 50c value. Thursday Special, 35c

Men's Furnishing Section, Basement

MEN'S HOSE—200 dozen men's cotton hose, three thread, linen heel and toe, medium weight, black, tan, light pearl, navy, white, battle-ship gray; 12 1-2c value at 6 1/4c Pair

Boys' Clothing Section, Basement

30 DOZ. BOYS' BLOOMER PANTS, made of good wool material, sizes 4 to 14. Thursday Special, 16c Pair

BASEMENT

HONOR GARIBALDI

Persons From All Parts of Italy at Dedication of Monument

GENOA, May 5.—Every train which arrived here yesterday and last night was crowded with prominent persons from all parts of Italy, who have come here on their way to Quarto Sant'Elena to attend the dedication of the monument erected in honor of Garibaldi and his famous thousand, who sailed from the little town in Sardinia on the expedition which resulted in the annexation of Sicily by Italy.

These ceremonies, which it was announced at the eleventh hour King Victor Emmanuel and the members of his cabinet would not attend because they were unable to leave Rome in view of the gravity of the international situation, have been regarded as of peculiar political significance because the participation of the king might be considered a direct affront to Austria at a time when diplomatic relations were strained almost to the breaking point.

Gabriele D'Annunzio, who will deliver the principal address, was met upon his arrival here by Gen. Ricotti Garibaldi and Minio Garibaldi, the sculptor, Baroni, designer of the monument, the mayor and many deputies. The poet was wildly cheered by crowds in the streets. The mayor has issued a proclamation which says:

"Genoa today fulfills her vow to immortalize in bronze the brilliant exploits of the Garibaldian. Never before have we felt so strongly vibrating within us the soul of the fatherland which draws from the annals of its liberty the firmness of its will and its strength for sacrifice."

ON LABOR CONDITIONS

Federal Industrial Relations Committee

Inquires Into Conditions on Pennsylvania Railroad

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Labor conditions on the Pennsylvania railroad affecting its telegraphers and shopmen were inquired into from the standpoint of the railroad company at the continuation today of the hearings before the federal industrial relations committee.

The commission has already heard H. B. Perham, president of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers regarding complaints by that organization against the Pennsylvania. The complaint charged that the railroad company refused to recognize the telegraphers' union, made every effort to break up existing unions and prevent organization of others.

Pennsylvania railroad officials were heard on these complaints today. W. W. Atterbury, vice president, was the principal witness. It was expected that the inquiry into Pennsylvania conditions would continue for the remainder of the week.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The annual gymnasium banquet will be held in Kilton hall, on Thursday evening, May 15, at 7 o'clock. All members of the gymnasium will be present and a most hearty invitation is extended to all who have been members in the past. The names of all those desiring reserved seats must be sent to Miss Washington not later than Monday night, May 10. Each class has prizes ready to sing, there will be contests at the close and a general good time is anticipated by all.

There will be a mass practice for the Festival of Nations at the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium, Thursday, May 6, at 8:30 P. M. Everyone participating in the festival is urged to be present.

The gymnasium year will close with the Festival of Nations, to be given in the Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday evening, May 18. All classes are working hard and the program promises to be one of keen interest to the public. Various national dances are to be given in costume and will be most picturesque. Keep the date open.

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C. Y. M. L. LADIES' NIGHT

FIFTH OF A SERIES OF LADIES' NIGHTS ENJOYED AT THE SOCIETY'S HEADQUARTERS

The fifth of a series of ladies' nights was conducted in the C. Y. M. L. hall, Suffolk street, last evening. Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Milner's orchestra. At intermission whist was played in the card room, the winners being John J. Flannery and Miss Ethel Sabourin.

Mr. John J. Neeson rendered several vocal solos which were well received. Mr. William Quinn was the accompanist. The committee in charge were: Mr. Bart Murray, chairman; Mr. Patrick Harrington, Mr. Patrick Cody, Mr. Patrick McGarrell, Mr. John McDermott.

GAVE A PUBLIC HEARING

ARBITRATION BOARD CONSIDERED CASE OF LUTHER STILES AND COMPENSATION

A hearing under the workmen's compensation act was held in the local court room yesterday afternoon. The purpose of the meeting was to decide upon the amount of compensation due the heirs of Luther Stiles, who died on Jan. 26 last, as the result of an injury sustained while employed in the plant of the Merrimack Mfg. Co.

Stiles was in the machine room and bumped his head on a slasher machine. He died three days later of intrapal hemorrhage. The arbitration committee remained in session until quite late in the afternoon and then decided to take the case under advisement.

Frank J. Donahue appeared for the state; J. Hawthorne Perkins for the insurance company, the American Mutual Insurance company, and Melvin G. Rogers for the relatives of the dead man. Jay Gleason appeared as attorney for the insurance company.

BOOM NEW ENGLAND

M. J. O'KEEFE CITES FACTS REGARDING ITS MANUFACTURES WHICH ASTONISH HIS AUDIENCE

NEW YORK, May 5.—That New England produces one-seventh of the total output of the nation, though it has only one-fiftieth of the area and one-fourteenth of the population of the United States, was stated yesterday by Major Patrick P. O'Keefe of Boston while a guest at a luncheon of the Six-Point league, an organization of advertising men, at Hotel Marlborough.

Major O'Keefe cited facts that were astonishing to many in regard to the large proportion of manufactures in firearms, hardware, jewelry, whips and various other indispensable goods made near Boston. He said that American manufacturers are determined to cut down the total of \$553,000,000 in manufactured goods that, until the war, was annually imported from Europe.

He asked New Yorkers as a patriotic act to help reduce the annual importation of \$100,000,000 in textiles by buying American textiles in place of them. Major O'Keefe emphasized New England's attraction as a vacation resort which, he said, brings \$100,000,000 a year to that region.

He asserted that every newspaper publisher and advertising man in the nation may derive benefit by helping to boom New England. He asked for a campaign of education in behalf of the slogan, "See America First."

ADMIRAL DOYLE RETIRES

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Rear-Admiral Robert M. Doyle, who has just been relieved of the command of the Pacific reserve fleet, retired today from active service, having reached the statutory age of 62 years.

Admiral Doyle's retirement makes possible the promotion to a rear admiral's grade of Captain A. G. Winterhalter, senior captain and aide for material to Secretary Daniels. Captain Winterhalter undoubtedly will be given sea duty.

PULLMAN PORTERS UNDERPAID

WASHINGTON, May 5.—Robert T. Lincoln, chairman of the board of directors of the Pullman company, frankly told the United States commission on industrial relations here yesterday that he believed the system of paying sleeping car porters should be changed and that wages of Pullman car conductors should be increased.

Each of these subjects, he said, would be taken up by the company's directors in the near future.

MITNEYS IN CAMBRIDGE

BOSTON, May 5.—Cambridge may be the next city to fall in line with the "Jits" movement, and it is expected that a line of "Jits" will be established shortly which will run from Brookline over through Harvard square into Somerville.

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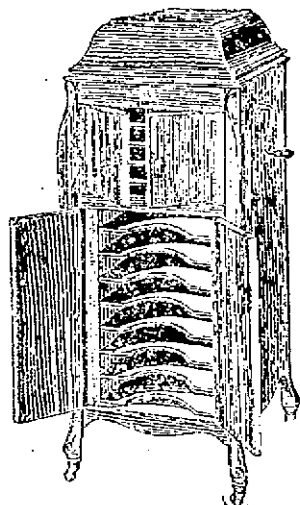
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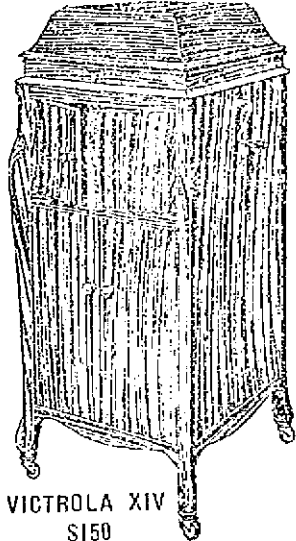
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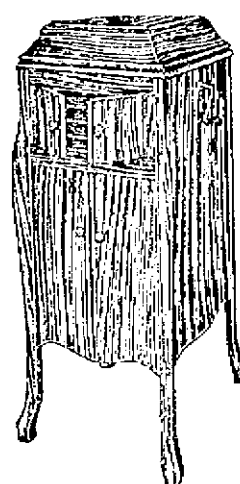
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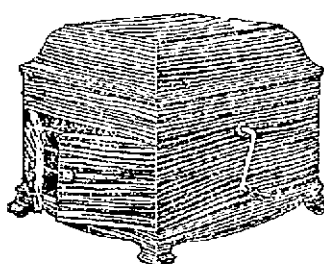
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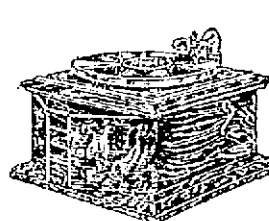
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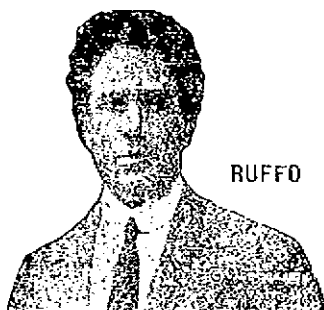
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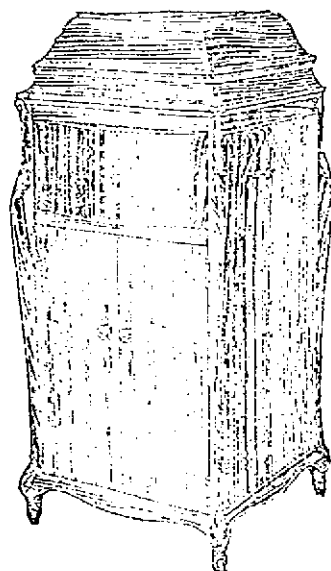
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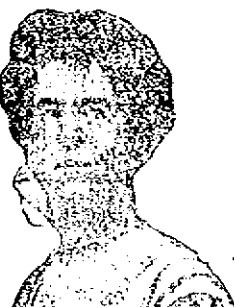
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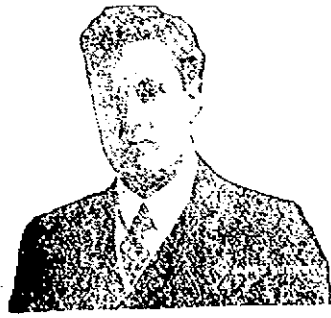
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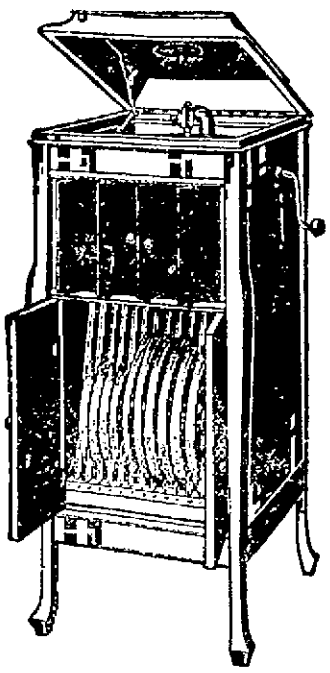
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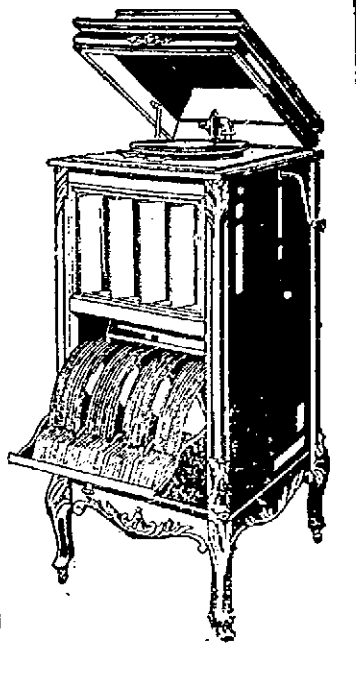


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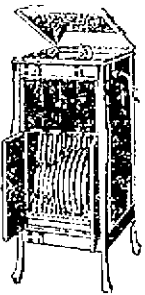


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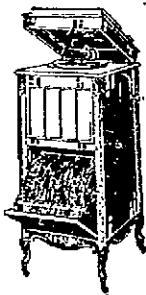
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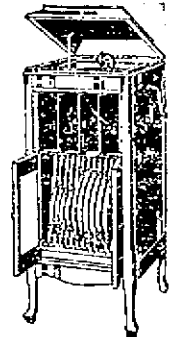
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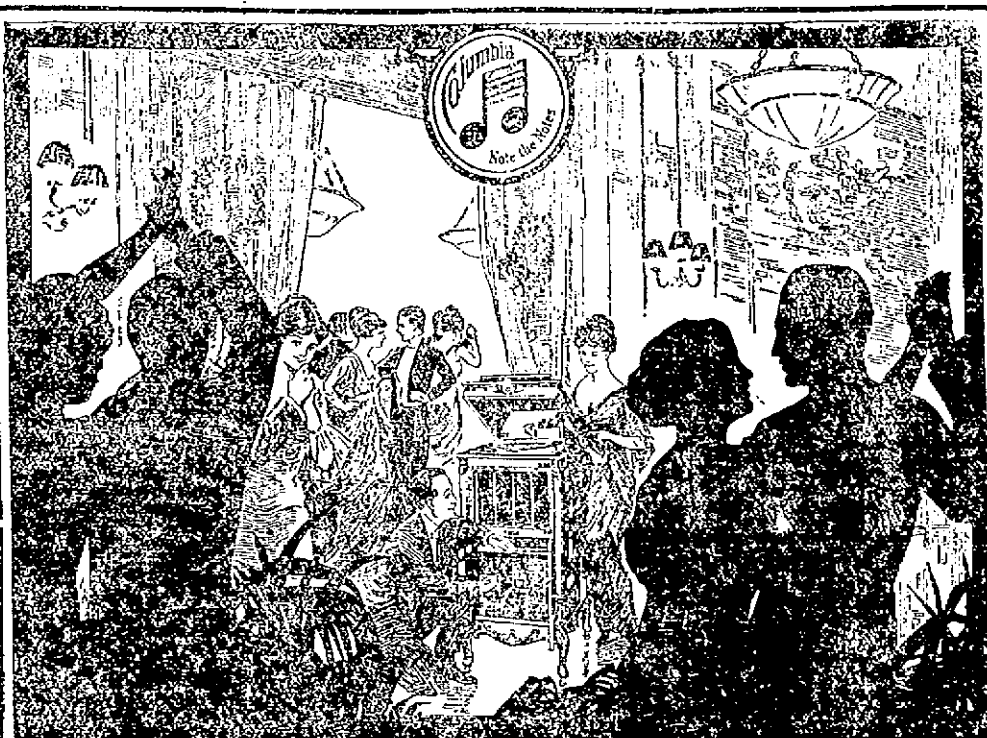


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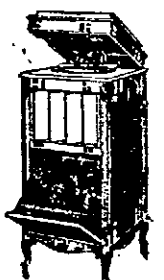
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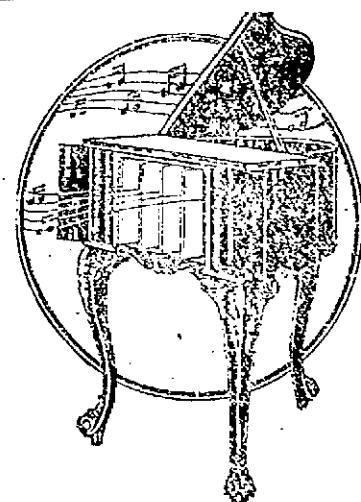
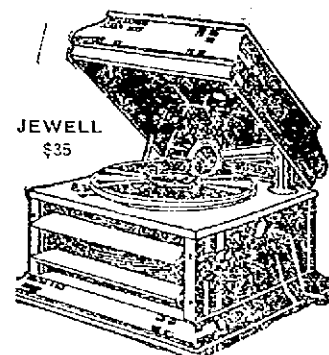
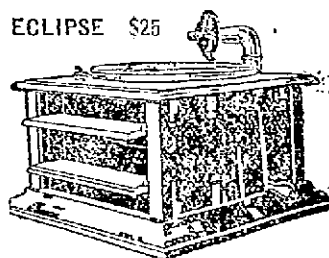
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Whether it's the rag-time of crackerjack instrumentalists, or a rag on the piano and violin played by the Lockers Brothers—or whether it's the alliterative syncopation of Al Jolson singing Sister Susie's Sewing Shirts for Soldiers—you get ragtime sung and played as it should be, when you listen to the rag recordings on Columbia Records.

Latest rag-time hits just received. Ask to hear them.

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GROWING ERA OF PROSPERITY

One who watches the increase in general prosperity from week to week may feel a little disappointment that it is so slow, but it is growing steadily and surely. If each week be compared with the preceding, the effect is not startling, but a comparison of the past four months shows a considerable and consistent gain. Furthermore, we are assured by some of the most conservative journals and business leaders in the country that business is on the mend in the strictest sense and that general improvement is to be expected, growing greater as the months advance. In short, we are well along the road to prosperity.

The United States steel corporation published the report of its quarterly earnings last week and showed that though January was the poorest month in its history, February showed decided improvement, and March returns were equal to those of January and February combined. This condition is true to a more or less degree of general business, bearing out the predictions of those who declared that recovery from the stagnation which resulted from the war would be gradual.

Following is a summary of general business conditions from the Worcester Post:

In steadily increasing volume and momentum come the reports of business improvement on every side. Last week was perhaps the most encouraging of any since the war catastrophe overtook the world. Gradually increasing railroad gross earnings, larger bank clearings, fewer failures, better collections and less unemployment are noted by the trade journals, while wheat crop prospects continue excellent. The April shipments of anthracite coal seem to have surpassed all records, while copper continues to rise in price and production. Sales of pig iron last week were the largest for a year, and the steel industry, which cannot be described as either a "prince or a pauper," is now showing an increasingly vigorous movement. The war orders which have come in fairly overwhelming volume for the competitors of the trust, now show their effect secondarily upon that organization itself.

To come to the mill situation, specifically, in which Lowell has a most especial interest, Fibre and Fabric, the leading organ of the textile industry, in reference to the increasing value of New England shares, says: "It is a splendid sign of improvement in the mill business, and from the fact that this advance in the selling price of shares, coupled with a growing demand on the part of conservative investors, shows to us the most assuring evidence that we are on the edge of a boom that will prove wonderfully beneficial to all New England." This is all the more gratifying when one considers that Fibre and Fabric has been one of the most pessimistic journals of the past year.

Very creditable as indicating the general spirit of the country, too, is the fact that practically all interests seem to be working for prosperity. It may be that the spectacle of the great war and our close shave in escaping a crippling panic has shown the falsity and danger of political meddling with the industrial situation, but it is certain that in the main there is little effort to turn the late depression or the coming prosperity to the advantage of any party or clique. It is as though the nation is heartily glad to be at peace and enjoying prosperity, and that the big consideration has swallowed all the smaller ones and stilled partisan opposition.

Still, it will not do for the business interests of this country to sit back awaiting prosperity. They must go out to meet it and provide for it. They must prepare for close competition when the war is over, they must avoid any large policy that would have a disturbing domestic effect and make practical plans for foreign trade extension, including one of the most important of all—plans for the restoration of our merchant marine. This nation has been taught many great lessons during the past year, which, if applied properly in the near future, may bring on American business an era of prosperity such as has not been hitherto enjoyed.

TALKING OF PEACE

Some papers in this section of the country have discovered that in the matter of possible peace and the time of its dawning they have far more wisdom than all the women who recently went on a peace errand to The Hague; consequently, they offer very pertinent suggestions, not only to the women but to the warring powers. One sage editor says: "It is a sheer waste of time and words to counsel peace now among the warring European nations; and the women in conference at The Hague, who propose the immediate cessation of hostilities, show a deficient sense of perspective that is a sorry reflection on their judgment."

With all due respect to this authority, The Hague conference showed nothing of the kind, and nothing said there indicated that the women had any hope of having any great effect on the rulers who are responsible for the war. Miss Jane Addams declared emphatically before sailing from this country that even though the mission were futile, the women would meet to enunciate a principle that will live and flourish when the war is but a memory.

It is no slight thing to consider that when history tells of the present struggle, it will note that in the midst of it some of the most distinguished women of all the warring and neutral nations traveled through perilous seas in order to raise their voices in protest against the slaughter that was bringing untold sorrow to the hearts of so many of their sisters. In the movement—now considered of secondary importance—is the germ of universal and permanent peace when the brains of the editors of today have crumbled to dust. All honor to the fine women who had the courage of their convictions and who voiced a feeling that is growing, not among the rulers or governments, perhaps, but among the common people of all nations.

To come to peace prospects directly, there are none just now. The war still rages in all its dreadful intensity and it must spend its fury before any of the powers sue for peace. If it is to be fought to the finish, as at first intended, no one can say when the end will be. Yet in all nations there is some indication of a feeling to demand some movement for a speedy settlement before the world is prostrated beyond speedy redemption.

BOSTON OPERA

It is a sad reflection on cultured Boston that its opera company, after long and futile struggling, has resolved to file a voluntary petition in insolvency, as the preliminary to dissolution. In spite of the generosity of Eben D. Jordan, who not only supplied the splendid opera house and met many liabilities out of his private purse, the company has been unable to make ends meet. New York, Chicago

and other American cities will still have their opera houses and companies, but Boston is forced to confess that the venture is a failure.

Many who do not know the special difficulties of conducting opera ventures will ascribe the result to the attempt of Boston to make its opera a side issue of its higher social life. From the first, the patronage was almost wholly from the ranks of the socially elite, and the music presented was apparently held secondary to the prestige of the distinguished audience. Society columns of the papers devoted more space to the costumes worn by debutantes and social leaders than the quality of the voice of the new tenor or the score of the classic or ultra-modern composition, and there was little in the publicity given opera affairs to attract those who love music more than they do transitory show. Undoubtedly all who paid for a box or a seat were welcome, but the inevitable damper was put on popular patronage by the early publicity methods, and as a result the operas were left to the higher social circles with the result noted.

There is surely a place for higher music in American cities, but any movement to make it attractive must not ignore the great masses of the public. In continental cities, the rank and file of the populace go to the operas with passionate fidelity, and great music is regarded a common heritage. Opera houses will not become popular in America in this generation unless they lay more emphasis on the presentation and less on the exclusive nature of the audiences. Real appreciation of fine music is under the skin, and it beats as true under the gingham waist as under the jeweled opera cloak.

SWATTING THE SWATTERS

The latest noted insecticide to throw down a fondly cherished theory is Dr.

Woman's Health

Requires Care

Women are so constituted as to be peculiarly susceptible to constipation, and their general health depends in large measure on careful regulation and correction of this tendency. Their delicate organization is rebel at the violence of cathartic and purgative remedies, while they may afford temporary relief, they disturb the system and seriously disturb the functional organs. A mild laxative is far preferable and, if properly compounded, much more effective.

The combination of simple laxative herbs with resinous oil in drug stores under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is ideal for women's use. A free trial bottle can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 511 Washington St., Monticello, Ill.

Charles V. Chapin, public health officer of Rhode Island who trains his 42-centimeter guns of criticism on the "clean-slate" campaigns, the "clean-slate" movements and all the other things that we have been thinking and preaching for the last few years. Incidentally he pays his dubious respects to public health bulletins that are "pouched in catchy phrases but lacking in accuracy and truth. Verily, a courageous man is Dr. Chapin.

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In the matter of street cleaning and similar activities, he deplores the fact that so many superficial things attract attention while the deeper health problems are neglected. "Cleaning up is a very good thing," he says, "but it is not going to make any appreciable decrease in the death rate nor aid much in the prevention of disease." Very true, and also, very helpful. Yet, had the doctor read the local papers, including The Sun, he would have seen that we laid special emphasis on the fact that fly prevention and continued clean-up activity are essential if the occasional campaigns are to have permanent results. The individual does not rest content with a yearly bath, still an occasional zeal for cleanliness results in special efforts revealed in a patronage of the bath, the barber, the chiropodist and possibly the manicurist. Good stuff, Doc! Now for the rake, the shovel, the broom and the fly swatter!

COST OF GOVERNMENT

In a recent speech, Speaker Cox of the house of representatives expressed wonderment at the apparent indifference of the public to the increasing cost of government. He asked sarcastically how long it would be when there would not be enough private citizens to support the government? Of the 7000 enactments by the legislature in the last few years, he said, 75 per cent. of them have been unnecessary, and the tendency is to create an army

of officials in commissions and bureaus. Let it not be forgotten that his pertinent criticism is of a republican legislature that was elected last year after "up" movements and all the other things that we have been thinking and preaching for the last few years. Incidentally he pays his dubious respects to public health bulletins that are "pouched in catchy phrases but lacking in accuracy and truth. Verily, a courageous man is Dr. Chapin.

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Rather strange that with all his political and general wisdom, Theodore Roosevelt should have been so ready to write letters. This is not the first time a letter has shown up to embarrass him and throw an unwelcome light on phases of his character. Seems too bad that some people will judge him by some of his letters and what they portended rather than by his own estimate of himself—which, to say the least, is slightly flattering.

It looks as though the allies are gaining at the Dardanelles, slowly it may be but surely. The storming of the forts continues and many contingents of troops have apparently been landed at different points along the Gallipoli peninsula. The attention of the world is now directed towards this region, for the daily revelations there will have a large part in shaping the outcome of the war.

President Wilson is going slow in his deliberations over the case of the Gulf fleet, but if it really was sunk by a German submarine, it is probable that the decision will be so specific as to do away with all future uncertainty as to our official attitude on such matters.

Second case of typhus fever reaches New York. A message from the war zone which shows one of the most unromantic sides of the struggle.

Again: "Italy on the brink of war"; star contortionist of nations.

SEEN AND HEARD

THEY'RE OFTEN SO

"Your husband has been ill," said the caller. "Yes," replied the little worried looking woman, he's been feeling very badly. I do my best to please him, but nothing seems to satisfy him.

"Is his condition critical?" "It's worse than critical," she answered, with a sigh. "It's abusive."

CAUGHT HIM

"Dick," said his wife, as she poured the breakfast coffee, "did you get any mail this morning?"

"Nothing but papers," "Did you post that letter I gave you yesterday?"

"Strange you haven't received it. It was addressed to you,"—Pittsburgh Chronicle-Telegraph.

BEARS SPEAK UP!

A tourist, traveling in the Rocky mountains, was introduced to an old hunter who claims to have killed no fewer than 100 bears.

"Bill," said the introducer, "this fellow wants to hear some bear escapes you've had from bears."

The old man, rubbing his eyes, looked the stranger over and said: "Young man, if there's been any

narrow escapes, the bears had 'em."

THE DOUBLES

Col. Roosevelt, as all the world may not know, shaves every evening before he goes to bed. Apropos of this odd fact there is a little story.

Before the outbreak of one day a robust man of middle age approached the colonel and said, displaying a row of strong white teeth in a smile: "Colonel, I'm taken for you every where. It's most embarrassing."

"Colonel Roosevelt looked the man over keenly, then, with a smile that displayed his own strong white teeth, he said:—

"Well, of all my doubles you resemble me the most. In fact if I could stand you up before me every evening I'd be able to shave by you."

QUITE A SURPRISE

A builder's man was seen walking with his right arm above his head and slightly bent, as if carrying an object of some weight.

"What the dickens are you walking like that for?" asked the puzzled foreman.

"I can't walk blooming well as I like," replied the man.

"Yes, perhaps you may; but what about the chap behind?"

Turning, the workman saw his mate standing two yards in the rear holding his arm in precisely the same way.

"TIZ" FOR SORE, TIRED FEET—AH!

"TIZ" is grand for aching, swollen, sweaty, calloused feet or corns.

"Pull, Johnny, Pull!"

No matter what ails your feet, or what under the skin you've tried without getting relief, just use "TIZ."

"TIZ" is the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous excretions which puff up the foot. "TIZ" cures your foot troubles as you'll never limp or draw your face in pain. Your shoes don't seem tight and your feet won't swell but get sore and swollen. Think of it, no more foot misery, no more agony from corns, callouses or bunions.

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Bridgeport, N.J.—"I want to thank you a thousand times for the wonderful good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered very much from a female trouble, I had bearing down pains, was irregular and at times could hardly walk across the room. I was unable to do my housework or attend to my baby I was so weak. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me a world of good, and now I am strong and healthy, can do my work and tend my baby. I advise all suffering women to take it and get well as I did."—Mrs. FANNIE COOPER, R.F.D., Bridgeport, N.J.

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from native roots and herbs, contains no narcotic or harmful drugs, and to-day holds the record of being the most successful remedy for female ills we know of, and thousands of voluntary testimonials on file in the Pinkham laboratory at Lynn, Mass., seem to prove this fact.

For thirty years it has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has restored the health of thousands of women who have been troubled with such ailments as displacements, inflammation, ulceration, tumors, irregularities, etc.

Every woman ought to have Lydia E. Pinkham's 80-page Text Book. It is not a book for general distribution, as it is too expensive. It is free and only obtainable by mail.

"Well, I'm blowed, Bill," he said, after a moment's reflection. "We've left the blooming ladder behind!"

FOURTH OF JULY
The "safe and sane Fourth" movement has received an unexpected boost this year. Skyrockets, Roman candles, fire crackers and the other accessories of Fourth of July have soared very high, even before being lighted, according to all reports.

The reason for this is found in the shortage of chemicals which are used in the manufacture of fireworks, and as a result the prices of fireworks are going to be very high. Of course, the only real explanation is the fact that Europe is interfering with the celebration of July 4 by taking away enormous quantities of gunpowder and stopping the importation of the essential chemicals.

The situation is so bad that a number of the towns have indicated that they intend to celebrate the evening fireworks on account of the high prices being asked for this form of amusement.

UNVALUED HUMILIATION
There is a fascinating charm to figures, whether round, slender, angular, or numerical. A sheriff of Liberty county, Texas, must have had a fond faith in the figure nine, for in 1912, C. W. S. Ry, Co. v. Sharman (court of civil appeals of Texas) 153 Southwest Reporter, 1915, he asks in damages for a cluster of five nines—\$999.99 for being forced to ride in a negro coach with his negro prisoner. One wonders how his alleged mortification and humiliation reached his precise value.

These are figures to be conjured with. Just think how it would feel to hold five nines in a poker game. However, the sheriff let on the wrong figure. The question raised in this case was whether or not a conductor had the discretionary power to determine whether a negro, in charge of a white convict, should ride with the other prisoners on the coach for whites or whether the officer and his prisoner should ride in the coach for negroes. The court decided that, under the statutes of Texas, the conductor had such power, and the railroad company would not be liable for the conductor's act in compelling the officer and negro to ride in the coach for negroes.

ONE VOTE LOST
In newspaper parlance the question of citizenship is always of human interest. In Mackenzie v. Hare (supreme court of California) 124 Pacific Reporter, 213, the point at issue was whether a woman, born and ever since residing in the state of California, loses her citizenship by her marriage to an alien. It appears that plaintiff was born and has ever since resided in California. In 1909 she married Gordon Mackenzie, a native and subject of the kingdom of Great Britain, who also lives and intends to permanently reside in California, although not apparently intending to become a citizen. In January, 1912, Mrs. Mackenzie, plaintiff, applied to the defendant board of election commissioners of San Francisco to be registered as a voter. Registration is denied her on the ground that by reason of her marriage to Gordon Mackenzie, a subject of Great Britain, she has lost her citizenship and ceased to be a citizen of the United States. Just as an alien woman who marries a citizen becomes a citizen herself, whether she wishes it or not, as the cases we have cited declare, so a female citizen who marries an alien becomes herself an alien, whether she intends that result or not, as the case of her marriage to the defendant board of election commissioners, as expressed by the act of Congress.

EDITORIAL COMMENT
PRAYERS AND TEARS
Despite the fact that the women's international conference is now in session at The Hague, the warring nations do not manifest any disposition to display their gallantry and courtesy for the good and the evil of the hostilities or to call the light of the world to be apprehended that women's prayers and women's tears will be of little avail in hastening the end of this bloody conflict. Fall the shades.

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GOV. D. I. WALSH GUEST AT TEACHERS' BANQUET

Brilliant Event by Teachers' Organization—His Excellency Extols Teaching Profession

The annual banquet of the Lowell Teachers' organization, held last evening in the state normal school hall, was in every sense of the word a notable event. With distinguished guests, including music, appropriate songs, and the presence of Governor David I. Walsh, the occasion was one long to be remembered with pleasure. The picture in the great banquet hall with its lines of tables gay with evening dresses of delicate and varied colors as the chief executive of Massachusetts went out a message of cheer, congratulation and lofty idealism was one that has been rarely equalled in a banquet hall in this city. Once again the teachers of Lowell deserve congratulations and gratitude of the community for a celebration that was as enjoyable as it was distinctive.

The scene in the assembly hall was very beautiful. Shortly after 6.30 the ushers took charge of the invited guests who included distinguished educators, public men and their ladies, and press representatives. The long head table was decorated with bouquets of yellow carnations, and all the tables looked radiant with happy faces and gay gowns of the teachers about 225 of whom were present. A sumptuous banquet was served by the D. L. Page company, and as on previous occasions, the program of the evening was not left to the close but was given at intervals throughout the evening.

The program:
Besides the formal and informal speeches, the program of events had many unique and thoroughly enjoyable features. The organization Glee club made a tremendous hit with a "Swing Song," "Nursery Rhymes" and a stirring "Patriotic Anthem" arranged by C. F. Furey. A typical song descriptive of the organization was written for the occasion, by Miss Alice O. Stekney, and sung by all as were also a "Song of Greeting to the Governor" composed by Miss Margaret McCuskey and "My City" title of "The Lowell Anthem" by Miss R. B. Batchelder. Speeches were made by Mr. Hugh J. Molloy, Superintendent of schools, Dr. John H. Lambert, Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, and Mr. Carl D. Burtt of the high school who was called upon at short notice and gave a very amusing characteristic address full of humor and originality. The main address of the evening was made by Governor Walsh, and at the close an informal reception was given him. Music throughout the evening was played by the orchestra during the social hour in the gymnasium.

Miss Kennedy
Once again Miss Elizabeth C. Kennedy, president of the organization, proved the ideal presiding officer. Her brief addresses were always in excellent taste, reflecting tact, resourcefulness and a high literary quality. Keeping herself in the background as far as possible, she, nevertheless, made her personality felt throughout the entire event, and to her tireless energy and faculty of detailed planning were due in great part the success of the occasion.

Miss Kennedy opened the formal program with a few appropriate words of greeting, in the name of the organization, in the course of which she expressed regret that, for the first time in the normal school Mr. Cyrus A. Durkin was unable to be present, being detained by illness. Miss Kennedy directed one of the teachers to send a message of sympathy and good cheer in the name of the organization.

Hugh Molloy
Mr. Molloy was enthusiastically applauded when he rose to speak. He said that no flattery or commonplace compliment would suffice to express what he felt and that anybody who could see the significance of the gathering would be most forcibly impressed with the future of popular education. He said the gathering reflected a cooperation that would bring encouraging and gratifying results. He also drew lessons from the motto of the state, carved on the front of the desk in the lecture hall, saying that to seek the blessings of liberty is the mission of education. He also expressed his personal regret at the unavoidable absence of Mr. Durkin.

Dr. John H. Lambert
Dr. Lambert was also greeted with prolonged applause. He spoke in a complimentary vein, referring specifically to the many good things provided for the Lowell public by the Teachers' organization during the past year—the musicals, lectures, etc., most of which were free to the public. He also

the congratulations of Massachusetts. For what does our government exist? Why have we maintained our system of education and why does the state spend four millions annually for its preservation? Because the government knows that by teaching the young it teaches the people. It is young so that when they grow to manhood and womanhood they will be able to preserve the liberties for which the American flag stands. Fundamentally, the education of our people is to prepare them for citizenship, to solve the problems of government, to be of service in the perpetuation of our liberties. In a secondary sense, education is meant to prepare boys and girls for the complex life of life that they may take an intelligent part in the industrial and commercial world.

That is your work, that is the service you render. As I like to think of it, government exists to reduce to a minimum the misery, suffering, privation, disease and unhappiness of the human race, to deal out of life to the enemies that attack the human family, and to bring light and happiness into the homes of millions who have neither wealth nor education. Think of the thousands of workers in this city who know no other word but toil and pain. I like to think that government looks at them as a good mother looks at her children. It is the highest purpose of government to drive out so far as possible the sufferings and inequalities and to this end, education is a greater factor than any other factor, with the possible exception of health.

Educational Extension Bill
At this point, Gov. Walsh went into detail in describing his bill for educational extension, stating that the idea has been in his mind for years. He told many incidents to prove the need for it, and spoke of his visit to the International Correspondence School at Scranton and the State university of Wisconsin. At Scranton he looked up the enrolled membership from Clinton and knew some of the boys that were striving to get education through the correspondence system.

The story of some of these boys. He said that after seeing the field for education extension he resolved to leave nothing undone to do for the mill boys and girls of Massachusetts what Wisconsin has done for every man, woman, boy and girl within her borders. "I hope," he said, "that you educators will strive to cooperate in some scheme to bring education to all our people." Speaking of the advantages of the field for education extension he said, "I like to remind those who have enjoyed the advantages of higher education that if danger ever comes to the government, they will have every reason to apologize if they fail to show the way to patriotism." He then asked all present to teach the young respect for the flag and paid a most eloquent tribute to it, its power, beauty and significance. In closing, he said: "I wish every one of you continued service in the great calling you are engaged in, and I wish to remind you that you are preparing the types of men who are to add to the happiness and prosperity of the state. In your hands rests in a great measure the future of the republic, and I bring you the greetings, gratitude and congratulations of Massachusetts."

Original Songs
The topical song of Miss Stekney was not lost on the assemblage, most of whom belonged to one or other of the classes mentioned. It was sung immediately before the mayor's address. The song of greeting by Miss McCuskey was also well received. Moore's "Relieve Me" and Miss Batchelder's Lowell hymn closed the occasion. Following are the three poems:

TUNE: "COMIN' THRO' THE RYE"
Lowell has a corps of teachers
Eager, strong, and wise.
If others want to be just like us
They must organize.
Our president—she is a wonder,
Full of plans and noise,
Pull together is her motto.
Work she just enjoys!

Classes we have had all winter.
We have learned a lot—
Everything from French to baskets—
German to fox trot.
Experts come from far to teach us,
At perfection to arrive.
One would have us say each morning,
I'm glad I'm alive.

Another says when pupils stupid
Make us want to scream.
Instead to go and hang a window
Just to let steam.
Now we wonder what advice
The governor will give,
And we promise in the future
By his rule to live.

GREETING
Fair Lowell brings greeting that
springs from the heart
To the ones we have gathered to meet
And on this day when we are waiting
To part.
Are the words that the echoes repeat.
Welcome, welcome, thrice welcome.
Our hearts are out to the city,
To the city that calls this its friend,
To the hearts in its homes that
charm found a key
So in greeting our voices now blend.

May the River all wise guide thy heart
and thy hand,
At the helm of our loved Ship of State
May thy service bring honor and
peace to our land.
May it silence each harsh word of
hate,
May the bright Sun of Justice shine all
through thy day,
Be thy pillar of fire in the night,
May His love and His law guide thee
thru thy home and thy haven's in sight.
—Miss Margaret McCuskey.

MY CITY 'TIS OF THEE
My city 'tis of thee
Home of prosperity
Of thee I sing.
Well known both far and wide
First of New England's pride
Let none thy name deride,
But praise sing

O city by the streams,
Center of all my dreams,
Thy face I love
I love thy tree-covered hills,
Thy streets, canals and mills,
My heart with pleasure fills,
As from above.

Blest homes adorn thy hills,
Sweet bells from all thy mills,
Ring labor's song.
In early morn they call,
"Come out, ye people, all
And may the daylight fall
On nothing wrong!"

Our city's God, to thee,
Source of prayer,
To thee we pray,
Help us our lives to make
Strong for our city's sake
And every path we take
Toward thee this day.
—Belle E. Batchelder.

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SAILOR IN COURT

Said He Would Go to Montreal to Join the British Army

Harry M. Costin of Roxbury, who was found wandering along the tracks of the Boston & Maine railroad at 2 o'clock on the morning of April 23rd in an intoxicated condition and later allowed his freedom on condition that he stay away from Lowell, once more took a liking for the railroad and was caught yesterday afternoon slipping from a train in the vicinity of the Middlesex street station. Harry was also intoxicated yesterday, it is alleged, and he pleaded guilty to drunkenness in court this morning.

When brought before the court on April 23 the defendant alleged that he had a narrow escape from being injured at that time and said that if his case were placed on file he would go back to the sea life as second steward on a ship. This morning, however, Costin said that he was replaced on the ship and yesterday set out for Montreal (Canada) in search of work. His intention was to join the British army there if he could not find employment. He is formerly lived in Montreal. His Honor imposed a suspended sentence of five months to the house of correction as an inducement for the defendant to stay out of Lowell.

George M. Hunt pleaded guilty to a complaint charging larceny of six paint brushes from Samuel Freedman, a flower street painter. It is claimed that the defendant worked for Mr. Freedman and did not return the brushes which he was given to do the work.

Among the drunken offenders was John A. Landry, who entered a plea of not guilty. Patrolman Breaud and Warrant Officer Crowley testified differently, however, and the court made a finding of guilty and ordered a three-month sentence to the Lowell jail. Intoxication cases were disposed of by suspended sentences and fines.

TROTTER IS FINED \$20

FOUND GUILTY OF ASSAULTING OFFICER—CHARGES AGAINST REV. ARON PULLER DISMISSED

BOSTON, May 5.—After criticizing the ticket seller of the Tremont theatre for discriminating between colored and white people, Judge Brackett in a special session of the municipal court yesterday afternoon fined William Monroe Trotter, the colored editor, \$20 for assaulting an officer and dismissed the other cases against him, and all the cases against Rev. Aron Puller. Trotter and Dr. Puller were charged with creating a disturbance and with inciting a riot at the Tremont theatre, April 17, in connection with a performance of the film-play "The Birth of a Nation."

"I severely criticized the man who sold the tickets," said the court. "When he testified here that he sold no more af-

ter being ordered to stop, I hoped to believe him. It was the theatre's right to stop the sale of tickets. But I used upon the evidence in this case that the ticket seller continued to sell, and used unfair discrimination between white and colored applicants for tickets. His conduct is largely responsible for what occurred."

"Mr. Trotter's conduct was not what it should have been considering his influence with his people, however. If his people were wronged, they should have sought redress later in the legislature or in the courts."

The court said that Dr. Puller and the editor would have done better had they counselled their friends to leave the theatre in peace.

Mr. Trotter appealed the case in which he was fined.

\$250,000 TO HOSPITAL

DIAMOND JIM BRADY'S GIFT TO JOHN HOPKINS HOSPITAL IS HAILED AS BEST IN WORLD

BALTIMORE, May 5.—James Buchanan ("Diamond Jim") Brady was the centre of attraction yesterday afternoon at the opening of the urological institute which bears his name and which he donated to Johns Hopkins Hospital at a cost of more than \$250,000. Some of the most prominent men in New York as well as Baltimore, including judges of the supreme bench, lawyers and business men, attended the opening and showered congratulations upon Mr. Brady for the wonderful donation to humanity.

The institution which Mr. Brady donated to Johns Hopkins hospital is the best of its kind in the world, having an equipment which will fit it to do wonderful research work. Mr. Brady was called on to say something at the afternoon exercises and briefly acknowledged the kindness of the officials at the institution and explained that he loved Johns Hopkins hospital because it benefited mankind.

BIG FLEET AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, May 5.—First of the big fleet to come here, three submarines, their mother ship the monitor Tonopah, and the destroyer MacDonough, glided into the harbor today and anchored in the Hudson. Other ships, it was thought, would follow during the day.

The entire fleet is expected to be at anchor in the Hudson next Saturday for the presidential review.

FUNERALS

MCCARTHY—The funeral of Patrick J. McCarthy took place yesterday from his home, 534 Hyde park avenue, Roslindale, where he was celebrated at the Sacred Heart church, Roslindale, Rev. F. Cummings officiating. The body was forwarded to this city, burial taking place in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. F. Cummings of St. Patrick's church read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savage had charge of funeral arrangements.

FISK—The funeral of Mrs. Emma E. Fisk was held from her home, 4 Gates street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. W. W. Brett, pastor of the Western Street M. E. church. The bearers were William E. Radner, Abraham Robinson, Mark M. Pense and Walter P. Thigall. Burial was in the family lot in the Lowell cemetery.

LOWNEY—Mrs. Susan F. (Donnelly) Lowney, wife of J. Edward Lowney, died last night at the home of her son, Edward Lowney, 33 Floyd street. Deceased was born in

cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

SILVER—The funeral services of Mrs. Ann S. Shute were held at the home of her son, Oliver Shute, 23 Easton street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. Ernest A. Trites, pastor of the Chelmsford Street Baptist church. The bearers were Oliver Shute and Alfred Shute, sons of William Penn. Among the floral offerings was a pillow inscribed "Mother," family and tributes from Mrs. Fulton, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Fenn, Mrs. M. H. McQuacken and Mrs. G. M. Dunn, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Perkins, grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gibson. Burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery, where the burial service was read by Rev. Mr. Trites. The funeral was under the direction of Undertakers Young & Blake.

DONOHUE—The funeral of Patrick J. Donohue was held yesterday afternoon from the home of his brother, Charles F. Donohue, 23 Butler avenue, St. Peter's church, services were conducted by Rev. Patrick L. Crayton. The bearers were all Spanish War Veterans, under the charge of Serg. Wm. F. Prescott, as follows: Francisco Thos. Dolan, Thomas Conant, James Clancy, Owen Dignan, Patrick J. McCarthy and Frederick L. Ham. At the grave a fine eulogy was read by the late Mr. Crayton, consisting of Corp. Babby and Privates Kenny, Chapman, Slattery, Clarke, Powder, Fraser and Emond. A large number of friends and relatives of their late comrade, while Musician William Carril sounded "Taps." Among the floral offerings was a pillow inscribed "Goodbye, Charlie," Charles and Joseph Donohue, and tributes from Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Donohue and family, Kane children, Mr. and Mrs. William Riley and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Donnelly and family. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. Fr. Crayton read the committal prayers. Undertakers Higgins Bros. were in charge of the funeral arrangements.

DOLLOFF—The funeral of Mrs. Ona M. Dolloff took place yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. J. Hobbs, in Central block, Chelmsford, where the services were conducted by Rev. L. L. Greene of the Unitarian church. Among those attending were delegations from Chelmsford granite and Ladd & Whitney circle, Mrs. G. E. Bryant in charge, the ritual of the order being performed at the residence. The bearers were Fred L. Fletcher, Isaac Knight, George O. Spaulding and Fred E. Lincoln. Burial was in the family lot in Forefathers cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker Perham.

SMITH—The funeral of the late Jennie Smith took place Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. M. H. McDonough, 36 Floyd street, in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery.

CORDARO—The funeral of Manuel Cordaro took place this morning at 11 o'clock from his late home, 47 Elm street. Services were held at St. Anthony's church, Rev. Joseph A. Apicchio officiating. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

DEATHS

MEHAN—Albert F. Mehan died yesterday at his home, 116 Agawam street, aged 29 years. He leaves his mother, Mrs. Mary C. Mehan, and two sisters, Anna L. and Alice P. Mehan. Deceased was employed in the office of the Forbes Lithograph Co. of Boston, and was a member of the Friendship club, Court City of Lowell, F. of A., and Y. M. C. I. and the Holy Name society of the Sacred Heart church.

LOWNEY—Mrs. Susan F. (Donnelly) Lowney, wife of J. Edward Lowney, died last night at the home of her son, Edward Lowney, 33 Floyd street. Deceased was born in

this city and was educated in its public schools. Besides her husband, J. Edward Lowney, she leaves her mother, Mrs. John J. Donnelly, one sister, Mrs. Alice McLaughlin of Newport, R. I., and two brothers, John P. and James E. Donnelly. Deceased was a lady of many estimable qualities and greatly devoted to her church, her family and her home. She was a devout member of St. Peter's church and was interested in the work of several sodalities.

FUNERAL NOTICES

JOYCE—The funeral of Miss Helen T. Joyce will take place Thursday morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her mother, 52 Eleventh street. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Michael's church at 10 o'clock. Interment will be in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

VAUGHAN—The funeral of Catherine J. Vaughan will take place tomorrow morning at 8 o'clock from her home, 25 Wilbur street. At 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be sung at St. Patrick's church. Burial in St. Patrick's cemetery, in charge of Funeral Director James W. McKenna.

CUMMINGS—The funeral of Carrie Gertrude Cummings will take place Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cummings, 3 East Pine street. Friends invited. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertakers Simmons & Brown.

CONWAY—The funeral of Thomas F. Conway will take place Friday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 222 High street. A funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of funeral arrangements.

CLANCY—The funeral of Peter M. Clancy will take place Thursday afternoon at 1.30 from his late home, 8 Mill street. Services at 3.30 at St. Patrick's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers Higgins Bros. in charge of the funeral arrangements.

MCWILLIAMS—The funeral of the late James McWilliams will take place on Thursday morning at 8 o'clock from his late home, 7 Keene st. A funeral high mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

LOWNEY—The funeral of the late Susan F. (Donnelly) Lowney will take place on Friday morning at 7 o'clock from the home of her mother, Mrs. John J. Donnelly, 36 Floyd street. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 8 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons in charge.

SHAW—The funeral of the late Joseph H. Shaw will take place Friday morning at 1.15 o'clock from his home, 218 West Sixth street. A solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Louis' church at 3 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers J. F. O'Donnell & Son.

MCNEILL—The funeral of Albert F. McNeill will take place Friday morning from his late home, 116 Agawam street, at 8 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church a funeral high mass will be sung at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of J. J. O'Connell.

HULLAND—Died in this city, May 3, at St. John's hospital, Mrs. Frances V. Hulland. Funeral services will be held at the rooms of Undertaker George W. Healey, 33 Floyd street, on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited without further notice. Burial private. Funeral in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

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THE MAN IN THE MOON

I went to Kittredge's alley last Friday night, expecting to see the whole water department led by Tom Holland on hand to root for their bowling experts, who were stacked up against Connie Cronin's team of stars from city hall; but strange to say, there wasn't any of them there. In consequence, notwithstanding the game was closely contested, it was a very lady-like affair. The stars of both teams, Bill Mahan and Jim Gilligan, were off color which, of course, evened up things. The W. W. team led three plus in the first round. In the second the C. H. bunch had a lead of 21 pins. In the third and last session the C. H. crowd increased their lead and things looked to the eighth box, as though it was the easiest thing ever. But Silver Slick who had been rung in to take Frank Slavia's place, went to doubling strikes, and this threw consternation into the C. H. grifters and corresponding elation into the W. W. grifters. If Jim Gilligan could only come across with one of his gerronian finishes and Bill Mahan should fall down all yet might be well for W. W.—which stands also for willing workers. But Jim fell down; and it doesn't matter whether Bill followed or not. That string's score was W. W., 31; C. H., 49. While the W. W. bunch got two strings, the game, which was for the total, went to their opponents by a margin of 29 pins. Connie says, "We wound up the season with victory."

The White Way
For the introduction and maintenance of the great white way we shall probably pay enough, but there's no question that after we get it we shall wonder how it was we got along without it so long. Like every other real public improvement we shall see the tendency for an indication of progress and showing that our good city has literally her face to the light. The Sun has frequently called attention to the propriety of the city lighting up divers dark localities throughout the city, and it is trusted that while they are about it the authorities will do something to render certain spots less dangerous to travel and to lessen the tendency for the commission of deeds of darkness. Would that conditions were such as to cause our city fathers to bring about the establishment of other public improvements some of which seem so necessary. But all in good time probably we shall have our public hall, our bridge at the falls, our parks developed, our hospital for contagious diseases, more money for

Disorderly School Mob
Soon after the dismissal of the Green school at 11:30 Monday two Chinese boys, pupils in that school, were beset by a regular mob of school boys from the same school and as the oriental lads retreated down the street they were threatened with bodily violence at the hands of the mob's leaders. While naturally much frightened the two boys showed inclination to defend themselves and they finally ran away without being particularly hurt. However, as a juvenile demonstration of threatened mob violence it affords food for reflection and certainly sufficient reason for action on the part of the constituted authorities. It surely would have been a disgrace to the community had these hoodlums (scholars of our schools) inflicted bodily injury upon these Chinese lads. It is a pity that a police officer did not opportunely appear with a good stout horse-whip to take a hand in the affair but officers as a rule consider it none of their business to deal with unruly school children. May I ask whose business it is to see that pupils leaving school show some respect for authority and for the rights of others?

Baseball
If we could take the Lowell's first game as a criterion, and we hope we can, then we have a team that will have something to say in the little old New England league. We certainly may consider that Zieher's stunt of sending a no-hit no-run game against such a team as we suppose Burckett has, was some stunt, indeed.

Monday's opening local game which was a 13 inning affair, while it resulted in a defeat for the local team, was something not to be ashamed of. The fans pronounced it one corking game and are unanimous in their opinion

Both of the brothers decided to try and gain the princess' hand by finding the key to her prison so the next day they started, the older one being given an hour's start, and then the younger one started. The older one walked by the rabbit's hole and saw a little rabbit, but, although the rabbit said a very pleasant "Good morning" he didn't answer.

Pretty soon he came to the ant-hill, but he just walked on it and this made the ants so angry that they crawled all over him and hurt him so he had to turn back home to try and find some way to get them off his clothes.

The younger prince started out and he too met the rabbit and told him what he was searching for. The rabbit said: "You saved my home so here is this piece of rabbit skin." Just wish to be in a place and you will be there."

The prince thanked the rabbit and walked on until he came to the ant-hill. There he found them all excited because his brother had spoiled their home but they were willing to help the good prince hunt for the key. The prince then remembered the rabbit skin so he wished to be in the place where the key was hidden and soon found himself in a deep cave guarded by a huge dragon and in his claw was the key.

The ants had followed him, for they wanted to help and, as soon as they saw the dragon, they began to bite his claws and the dragon dropped the key and the prince picked it up and wished to be at the door of the tower where the princess was. He unlocked the door and the princess was free and they lived happy forever after.

that Manager Barrows' lunch will prove a credit to the city.

Fishing Trip
Robby Patten and Tom Brady of Mammouth road, Pawtucketville, arrived home Monday night from a fishing trip to the Lake. They report a rather cold time of it, but met with fair success. Mr. Brady captured a nice-pound salmon-trout which he took to his home, and country fishermen look very good indeed.

Orson Lowell's Pictures
Orson Lowell, the artist, who not so many years ago knew something quite intimate about what most artists know, one time or other, as to poverty and unrecognition, is now on easy street, as he deserves to be. He doesn't have to go humbly into a publisher's office, wait until the great men are ready to talk to him, and gratefully accept a listless and ignorant criticism and patronizing advice. Neither, probably, does he worry about the rent, or where, even in Bohemia, his next square meal is coming from. O, not to mention other commissions the publisher of "Life" is more than willing to pay Mr. Lowell \$10,000 for one drawing per week for 52 weeks, which, you will observe, is a little more than four times as much as we pay our municipal commissioners. As has been stated a hundred or more of these drawings having duly appeared in "Life" are now on exhibition at the Whistler house. The art association is to be congratulated for bringing this collection to Lowell and, needless to say, the thanks of all lovers of art and pictures. For most of us, if we don't know much about art, still love good pictures.

High School Game
In its first regular school game the Lowell high school baseball team suffered defeat at the hands of the Nashua 11, 3, by a score of 3 to 1. It has been seen the locals in practice several times. I think while they are a pretty fair fielding lot, that they are weak in pitchers' box and in natural hitting ability. I noticed a kind of persistency on the part of the management to allow good natural hitters too much bench duty. So my little hint is, utilize the natural hitters you have, develop them, you haven't too many of 'em. Slick fielders look pretty and are well enough. But hitting wins games, too.

Lowell Dwellers
At the Atlantic coast congress of bowlers in tournament, Lowell is represented by her duckpin champion team, the White Ways, and their work in last Friday evening's event was like that of champions. With every man over 300, they registered a total of 1615 pins, which is some what unlikely. In the tournament, the city was equalled in the tournament, and on. Before the congress ends it is probable that our boys will produce other figures to cause Boston folks to take notice of. Duckpins may be their specialty; but should they go into some candlepin event, I believe the White Ways bunch could hold their own. I know that Alex. Corcoran, a candlepin as well as he can bowl at ducks. Candles is the game down Boston way and bowlers down that way are inclined to look down on the game that Lowell universally subscribes to. There have been attempts to make candlepin popular here, but they haven't been successful. However, we are proud of our White Ways and look for them to return with laurels and medals gracing their classic brows and manly breasts. How's this: Myrick, 308; Hall, 323; Cole, 320; Chabot, 320; Martel, 345; total, 1616. Where's another bunch that can beat it?

Courteous Operatives
A lady friend of mine who recently had occasion to visit one of our mills at the noon hour in quest of somebody who wished very much to see, said to me that what impressed her during her visit was the courtesy and politeness of the operatives of whom she asked some questions. She figures in polite society, so-called, and is without the most intelligent lady I know. She declared that she had never experienced such a true manifestation of politeness as was accorded her by these same young men operatives of the Lowell Weaving company.

The incident suggests the lines of John Milton, who recently knew what he was writing about:

COURTESY
Which oft is sooner found in lowly sheds

With smoky rafters, than in tapestry walls,
And courts of princes, where it first was named,
And yet is most pretended.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE
The one real up-to-the-minute show in town is located at the B. F. Keith theatre this week, and in all truth, let it be said that it has a lot to show for so much novelty being introduced locally. With Hugo Jansen and his "Fast 'n' Shop," specially underlined as the feature, so much of the most intelligent and the most intelligent of the city settling forth their special appeals, it may be said that Lowell vaudeville hasn't seen anything better in many months. "The Fashion Show" lives at its best in this title. Jansen is a real designer of dresses, evening dresses, street dresses, home dresses, etc., etc., and he shows just how it is for him, how a cheap model on which to work, to create something wonderfully artistic and up to the very second. He has four attractive models, all wonderful, and a number of young women. Three of them are untrained on the play bill, the remaining one being Maida Burker, a young French woman, who not only sings, but dances, but who is something of a singer and a dancer. On the

LONESOME LEW

LEGAL NOTICES

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Office of the Secretary, Boston, April 29, 1915.
Notice is hereby given, that, on the seventh day of April, in the year nineteen hundred and fifteen, Irwin L. Prentiss, of Lowell, was duly licensed and commissioned to be a public auctioneer within and for the city of Lowell; that he has taken and filed the oath of office, and that he is now qualified to perform the duties of said office.

ALBERT P. LANGTRY
Secretary of the Commonwealth.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS
Middlesex, ss. Probate Court.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Charles C. Hutchinson, late of Lowell, in said County, deceased.

Whereas, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by Charles S. Hutchinson who claims that said instrument is the last will and testament of said deceased, and that he is entitled to the same, and that he is now qualified to perform the duties of said office.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Lowell in said County of Middlesex, on the eighth day of May, A. D. 1915, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks in The Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell, the last publication to be on one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing copies of said citation to all persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness my hand and the seal of said Court, this third day of May, in the year one thousand nine hundred and fifteen.

W. E. ROGERS, Register.

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PRICE ONE CENT

WOMAN WAS POISONED

SWALLOWED IODINE USED FOR TOOTHACHE—IS NOW AT HOSPITAL

Sadie, Waterhouse, aged 21 years, was found unconscious in her room in the Weston house at 62 Brookings street about 6.15 o'clock this morning, suffering from the effects of a dose of iodine which she took during the night. It was reported this forenoon at St. John's hospital, where she was taken in the ambulance, that she was resting as comfortably as could be expected and probably would recover.

Miss Waterhouse, who is employed as a waitress in the Weston house, retired last night complaining of a toothache. She took a small bottle of iodine to her room and it is believed that at some time during the night she attempted to relieve her pain by using the medicine. She swallowed a small amount of it, however, and was poisoned.

WAS WASHED OVERBOARD

CARGO OF LUMBER ON STEAMER VANCE LOST—SHIP TOWED INTO PORT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Marine circles were relieved today when it became known that the steamer Edward P. Vance had arrived during the night in tow of two tugs which responded to her signals of distress when she was battling with the storm last week.

The Vance was badly damaged and her deckload of lumber was washed overboard.

STUDY OF THE LANGUAGE

NAMES OF MEN OFTEN BECOME PART OF COMMON SPEECH—GET A DICTIONARY

The study of language shows how the names of men often become a part of common speech. For instance, our word "dunce" comes from Duns Scotus, one of the most illustrious teachers of the Franciscan order. In his time theological controversy was loud and fierce. His opponents, on hearing an argument from one of his school, would say contemptuously, "O, you are a Dunse man," or more briefly, "You are a Dunce." Finally, the word came to mean a dull, ignorant person—and to be spelled "dunce." We get "nicotine," the alkaloid derived from tobacco, from Nicot, a famous French physician, who introduced the tobacco plant into Europe. The words "molestation," "dolly," "brougham," "hansom," "mesmerism," "macadam" and "hyacinth" were originally the names of the men who first invented or used the objects or actions described by them. Galvani, an Italian, first called attention to animal electricity, which is sometimes called "galvanism." Another Italian, Volta, gives his name to volt, now in common use.

"Atlas," now a geography, was once the demigod who supported our world on his shoulders. From Homer's "Stentor," we have "stentorian," loud-voiced; from his "Hector," who was somewhat of a bully, we have the verb "to hector." A certain patriotic French minister of finance, M. de Silhouette, sought to curb the extravagance of the government, and so his name was given to the cheap black outline portrait we now know so well.

This list might be extended indefinitely, as our language is rich in man-derived words.

It is not the province of a dictionary to go into the origin and history of words, but The New Universities Dictionary contains the definition of such words as have passed into our common speech. Besides this, in its appendix it contains a real treasury of facts useful in every-day life. Our coupon offer, published in today's paper, explains our good fortune in being able to present what is an encyclopedia and a dictionary combined and in convenient form for daily use. We congratulate both our readers and ourselves on this stroke of good fortune.

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SUN FEATURES THURSDAY

Interesting Political Review by "The Spellbinder"—Other Departments by Sun Readers

The Spellbinder will discuss the recent meeting of the municipal council and other municipal matters of interest.

Valuable information concerning the bringing up of children will be given in "Your Boys and Girls" tomorrow. This will prove of interest to mothers.

"Auntie's New Blouse" is the topic of the contribution to The Sun by "The French Maid." "In Midway's Boudoir" will tell of the "art of smiling." "The Brown and Green Fairies" will prove a delightful story for the little ones.

SUIT AGAINST N. Y. CENTRAL

NEW YORK, May 5.—Suit to restrain the New York Central & Hudson River Railroad company from proceeding with its issue of \$100,000,000 6 percent, 20-year debenture bonds, which began May 1, was filed yesterday by James Pollitz, a stockholder.

DRACUT

The selectmen of Dracut gave the residents of Collinsville a hearing on their petition asking that a license to open Lakeview park on Sundays be refused the Bay State Street Railway Co. until the said company agrees to its sue transfers of the Lakeview park to its line as far as Mammoth road, and after hearing the pro and con, the selectmen took the matter under advisement.

About 75 attended the hearing and a large number spoke in favor of the petition. A small number opposed the petition, stating they were in favor of using more conciliatory methods, but the petitioners insisted that the Sunday privileges at Lakeview park be done away with unless the company agrees to the transfers. Another matter brought to the attention of the selectmen was a request that a telephone be installed at the home of Police Officer Cullinan at Collinsville at the expense of the town, but Selectman Clark informed the petitioners that there was no appropriation for such an expense and accordingly the demand could not be granted.



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THE NEW CEMETERY COMMISSION APPOINTED BY MAYOR MURPHY

LECTURE ON SOCIALISM

Rev. Fr. Strauss, O. M. I., Before C. M. A. C.—Revival of Christianity Only Cure for Social Ills

The last in a series of lectures at the C. M. A. C. hall for this season was given last night by Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., professor of theology at the Oblate novitiate, Tewksbury, when the learned clergyman delivered a lengthy address on "Socialism." The lecture was given following the regular business meeting of the C. M. A. C. and was largely attended. The distinguished lecturer was accompanied to the hall by Rev. Bernard J. McKenna, O. M. I., assistant provincial of the Oblate order and superior of the novitiate, Rev. Dr. J. H. Racette, O. M. I., pastor of St. Joseph's, and Rev. Joseph Boudreau, O. M. I., chaplain of the association.

The business meeting was held at 7.30 o'clock and was of short duration. President Arthur St. Hilaire occupied the chair and 32 new members were initiated, this being the largest class for a long time. Routine business was transacted, and it was decided by the literary committee to suspend lectures until the fall.

Prior to the lecture by Rev. Fr. Strauss, the other clergymen present also addressed the gathering and their remarks on topics of the day were well received. At the close of the evening a rising vote of thanks was extended to the lecturer as well as the visiting clergymen.

Rev. E. J. Strauss, O. M. I., was introduced by President St. Hilaire and his address was a treat to the large gathering. The speaker spoke eloquently on the important subject, "Socialism," and his address was listened to with great interest. His lecture was in part as follows:

"What, then, is socialism? What do socialists intend to do, once they have dissolved the present order of society, once they have destroyed the old social fabric? They mean, my dear friends, to reconstruct, to reorganize society, on the basis of a common ownership of the means and instruments of production.

"Were the socialistic regime established, private capital would be abolished and all the means of production—that is, the land of a country, and its buildings, ships, machines, rails, etc.—would belong to the community at large, instead of belonging, as they now mainly do, to private citizens and private corporations.

"This is how the socialists argue: The one sole cause of all the difficulties, with which labor has to contend, is free competition in production. Take away competition and the labor question is solved. The only way to get rid of competitors is to have but one producer.

"The only way to have but one producer is to make all the means of production absolutely common property.

"But it may be asked: Would there be any private ownership at all in the socialist state? Doubtless there would be; for there is no reason why a man, even under such conditions, should not own a great quantity of things for his own private enjoyment. The only thing that would be denied to private ownership, would be something commonly used or usable as a means of production.

"Again it may be asked: Is socialism merely a question of economics? Has it to do with morals?

"To this may be answered that socialist authorities from Marx and Engels down to the present day teach that all institutions of whatever nature, religious, moral, intellectual, civic, etc., are but results of economic structure. It follows that economic change implies change in the other departments of human activity. Socialism, therefore, which advocates economic revolution, must logically imply religious and moral revolution as well. Indeed, Mr. Ernest Hav, one of the most brilliant of European socialists, says: 'As a matter of practice the modern marriage and the modern family is sustained by the modern system of property, and when the latter gives place to something else, so must the former.'

"So far, we have been trying to learn the exact nature of socialism; it is now time that we examine its claims. Can the economic change, which the party advocates, justify the view with favor? I make bold to answer that it cannot. With your kind indulgence, my dear friends, I will state and explain the reasons which have led me to this conclusion.

"First of all, the co-operative commonwealth, as it is called, would be destructive of individual freedom. No man under the socialist state would be what we call free.

"Social advancement demands competition. That rivalry is one of the most powerful factors in economic progress can scarcely be gainsaid. Does not history tell us that the most useful inventions and the most useful enterprises are to be credited not to the action of public authority but to private genius and private initiative, constantly on the alert, because pricked by the stimulus of competition.

"But social progress demands more than competition. It demands that human labor be free and redound to the personal interest of the worker. Unless such be the case, human labor will not attain that maximum degree of productivity, which is essential to social advance. Whatever is done spontaneously and for personal gain is always well done, whilst work lacking the spur of personal interest and performed under constraint is usually of a less productive nature.

"Does not our knowledge of human nature bear out the assertion that the vast majority of men are led to obey the great law of work, mainly by the hope of amassing wealth and transmitting it to their offspring, a goodly inheritance? And does not history attest that slave-labor in the palmy days of Rome and Athens was sadly wanting in productivity?

"Now, under socialistic conditions, competition among private producers would be superseded by state monopoly in every branch of human activity. Indeed it is precisely to stop all rivalry that the socialists advocate the common ownership of all the means of production.

"The social question, according to the great pontiff, Leo XIII, is both economic and moral, since the causes of existing evils are partly industrial and partly moral. No remedy, then, can prove adequate, unless it be of this dual nature: it must add to social reform the revival of Christianity among all classes of society. Yes, social reform is sadly needed today. We must unfurl its banner without the slightest delay. We must strive to ameliorate the condition of the poor to such an extent that even the lowest of the laboring classes may enjoy a family life worthy of a human being. To this end, we must demand that he receive sufficient wages; that sufficient regard be had for his life and health; that he be treated not only with fairness but also with love and consideration; and finally that he be given the assurance that in time of misfortune or ill-health he will not be abandoned or cast into the street.

"This revival of Christianity, however, must not be confined to the laborer; it must extend also to the higher and more influential classes of society. Can the rich afford to preach economy and self-denial to the poor if they indulge in the most extravagant luxury and dissipation? Only when the wealthy come to the conviction that they have not only rights but duties of charity; only when they bear in mind that they have been appointed by God, as it were, the administrators of their earthly possessions, which should in some way serve for the benefit of all; only when they remember that the laborer is not a mere chattel, but a rational being, their brother in Christ, who, in the eyes of God, is equal to the richest and most powerful on earth; then, and only then, will the social question meet with an adequate solution."

HER HAIR WORTH \$20,000

NEW YORK GIRL AWARDED THAT SUM BY THE SUPREME COURT OF THAT CITY

NEW YORK, May 5.—The worth of a woman's hair was fixed yesterday at \$20,000 by a jury in the supreme court, which awarded that sum to 16-year-old Mary Haynes of Brooklyn, in her suit against the Coke & Cobb company, styers makers, by whom she was formerly employed. Miss Haynes' hair was pulled out by the roots in an accident in the defendant's factory. Physicians testified that it would never grow out again.

CHARGE OF ESPIONAGE

SWOBODA MAKES DENIAL—SAYS HE KNEW OF WAR PLANS BY READING GERMAN PAPERS

PARIS, May 5.—A vigorous defense against the charge of espionage preferred against him was made by Raymond Swoboda when he was examined yesterday by Major Julien of the Paris permanent court-martial, says the Petit Journal.

In an effort to prove his assertion that he really had important business deals on hand he gave the name of a person who loaned him 2500 francs, knowing that he was about to realize handsome profits.

Referring to the charges of espionage, Swoboda declared the remarks he made before the war began did not show he was aware of Germany's military plans. He asserted that anyone who read German newspapers and pamphlets would have gained the conviction that Europe was on the verge of hostilities.

The prisoner insisted that his name was Swoboda, but admitted that he occasionally had been known as Schwind.

DENuded OF TROOPS

HEAVY ARTILLERY ALSO REMOVED FROM ADRIANOPLE, SAYS REPORT FROM SOFIA

LONDON, May 5.—Adrianople has been almost denuded of troops while all heavy artillery has been removed from the city, says a despatch to the Times from Sofia. A large part of the troops that were sent to the Gallipoli peninsula have been recalled in haste and sent to Kirk Killiseh, 32 miles northeast of Adrianople and to Midia on the Black sea.

The Turkish government has reconsidered its decision to suspend railway service to Bulgaria in the fear that such suspension might be made by Bulgaria a pretext to seize the railway. One train daily will be operated to Dedagatch.

WON FIRST PRIZE

Mr. Paul Vernon Ingalls of this city has been awarded first prize in the annual essay contest of the Boston Chapter of the American Institute of Bankers. The essays were judged by Professor S. C. Hensley of Harvard university and two prominent Boston bankers. This is the second time the highest honor has come to Lowell. Mr. Albert A. Ludwig of the Union National bank having won the prize two years ago. Mr. Ingalls is connected with the Appleton National bank, of this city.

OLDEST IN NEW ENGLAND

Mrs. Mary D. Stackpole Died at Her Home in Wolfboro, N. H., After a Short Illness

WOLFBORO, N. H., May 5.—Mrs. Mary D. Stackpole, the oldest person in New England, died at her home here yesterday after a short illness, aged 166 years, 5 months and 19 days. Mrs. Stackpole retained her faculties up to her death.

HISTORIC TREE STUMPS GONE

BOSTON, May 5.—The stumps and roots of the two giant ash trees that bore silent witness of the battle of Lexington on April 19, 1775, from where they stood in front of the historic Marrett and Nathan Munroe house on Massachusetts avenue, Lexington, opposite the Lexington battle green, were finally removed yesterday, but only after five days of hard laboring by half a dozen men with picks, shovels, axes and considerable dynamite. The larger tree measured seven feet in diameter, and the other was five feet and three inches through.

ANSWER OF AUSTRIA

ITALY HAS REQUESTED A CLEAR STATEMENT OF AUSTRIA'S INTENTIONS

ROME, May 5.—The meeting of the cabinet which was to have been held yesterday has been postponed until this afternoon. A semi-official note says the ministers will consider the question of resuming parliamentary work.

The excitement caused by the abandonment by King Victor Emmanuel and the ministers of their proposed trip to Quarto San'Elena has subsided in parliamentary circles, where it is believed there has been no essential modification of the situation. Conversations between Italy and Austria, it is reported, are being continued.

Foreign Minister Sonnino received calls yesterday afternoon from the British and French ambassadors and the secretary of the Russian embassy.

Count Goluchowski, who is coming to Rome on a special mission from the Austrian government is expected tomorrow. He will be received by the king and Baron Sonnino. He is supposed to be bringing the answer of Austria to the reported request of Italy made through Prince Von Bülow that Austria make a clear statement of its intentions. If this answer is considered unsatisfactory, it is believed the Salandra ministry will take the position that it has availed itself without result of every possible means of averting war.

COURT ARCHIVES BURNED

FIRE IN PALACE OF JUSTICE AT MADRID—CHURCH OF SANTA BARBARA BADLY DAMAGED

MADRID, May 5.—The court archives stored in the palace of justice were destroyed by a fire which broke out last evening. The flames have been brought under control but probably will smoulder for a week, according to the chief of the fire department. Not only did the water supply fail but the firemen lacked adequate apparatus with which to make their fight.

The church of Santa Barbara, adjoining the palace of justice, was badly damaged, but the portion containing the tomb of Ferdinand VI of Braganza was saved.

JUMPED TO HIS DEATH

U. S. CONSUL AT LYONS REPORTED TO HAVE COMMITTED SUICIDE BY LEAPING OVERBOARD

NAPLES, May 4, 11.30 p. m., via Paris, May 5.—The United States consul at Lyons, one of the passengers aboard the steamship Sant'Anna which has arrived here from New York, is reported to have committed suicide during the voyage by leaping overboard. He was on his way to his post in France.



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